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Never in the history of Pittsburg was there such a flood on such a night. The rains and snow of the past three days caused the upper tributaries of the local rivers to swell and the result was a rise almost unknown at this season of the year. Warning was sent out from the weather bureau that a flood stage was possible and even probable, but the suddenness with which the cold air descended on Saturday night influenced the minds of the men who were guarding the big coal fleets, that the rise came as almost a complete surprise to them. Usually a calm snap takes all the life and danger out of a flood. It failed to do so yesterday and as a result the freshest will cost hundreds of thousands of dollars that might have been saved.

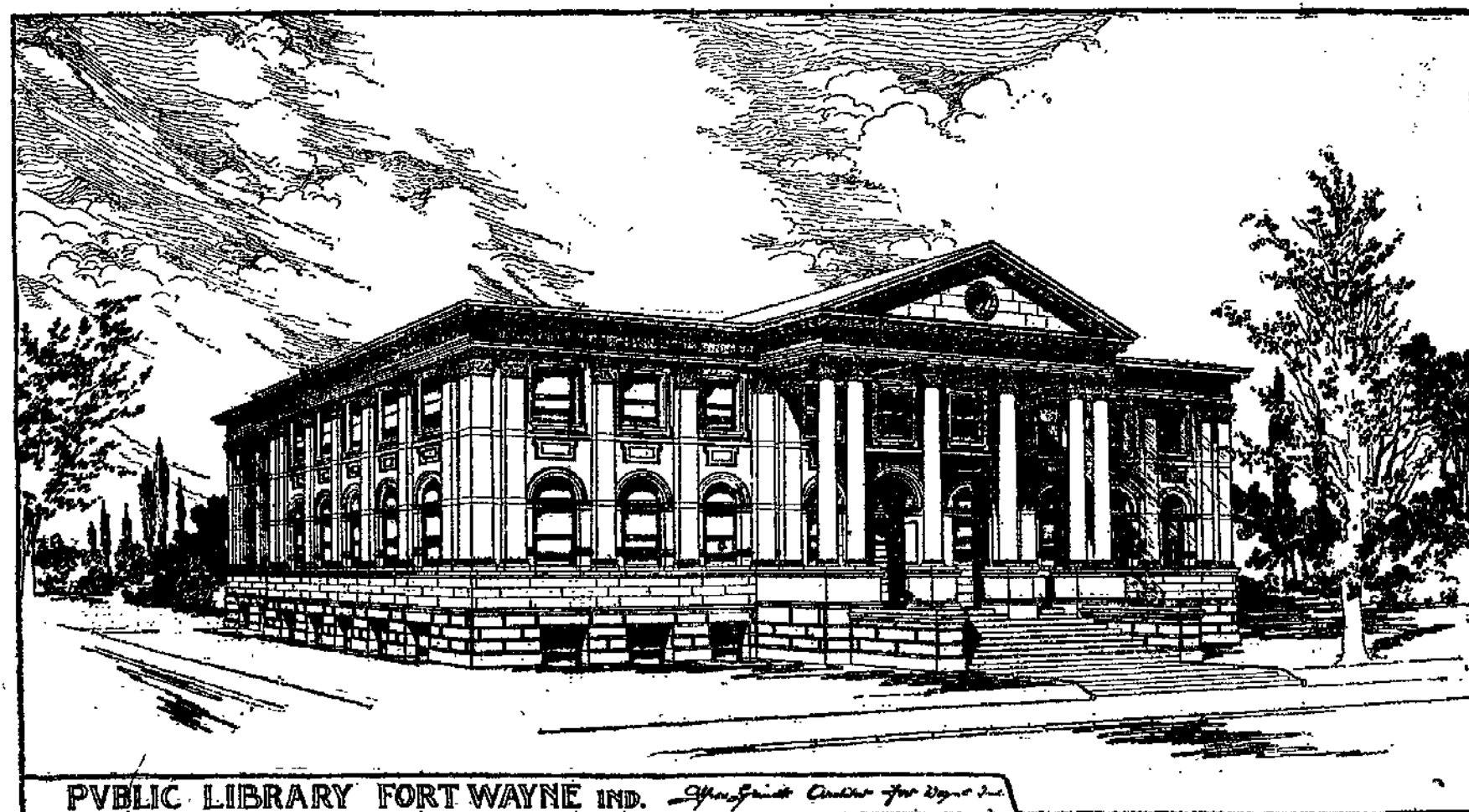
The damage to goods in the wharves, in warehouses, stores and private houses in the two cities will never be known. It will probably reach \$80,000. In addition to this many mills and factories along both rivers were forced to close down temporarily and thousands of men and women will be out of work from one to three days and much damage done to machinery and finished stock. At all points along the rivers reports of damage from the high water have been received. For a distance of half a mile along the river at Brighton the cellars of houses were completely filled with water last night and in some instances covered floors of the buildings.

BELOW DANGER MARK.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 16.—The flood which visited this section of the Schuylkill valley yesterday has receded and is now below the danger mark. Workmen are busy today clearing away the hundreds of tons of rock, earth and timber which were washed upon the tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading and Pennsylvania railroads, and the tracks of the Pottsville Traction company upon which lines travel was suspended yesterday. The traction company has not yet been able to resume communication with Schuylkill County, Arvington, Minersville, Pottsville or St. Clair because of the destruction of trestles and small bridges.

Nearly every bridge that was swept by the flood was destroyed.

ACCEPTED DESIGN FOR NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE.

PUBLIC LIBRARY FORT WAYNE IND. *Architect Alfred Grindle for design*

The Sentinel presents herewith an illustration of Fort Wayne's new public library building as it will appear when completed. This is the magnificent structure made possible by Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$75,000, and the picture is made from Architect Alfred Grindle's completed plans, which have been approved by the school board.

The building will be located at West Wayne and Webster streets and it is predicted that it will compare favorably with any structure of similar cost in the United States. The general style is classic of the Greco-Roman type of architecture, with a frontage of 100 feet on West Wayne street and 107 feet on Webster street, with loggia entrance projecting 18 feet beyond the Wayne street building line.

The exterior of the building will be faced throughout with buff Bedford Oolite stone. The pitched roofs will be of black Bangor slate, the flat roofs of Warren Anchor brand asphalt. All glass throughout the exterior openings will be of American plate, first quality.

The floors of the loggia and the vestibule will be tile or mosaic. The first floor will contain the general reading room with a reference room adjoining; also a card catalogue room, being in such a position that

persons using the reference room may refer to the card catalogue room and stack room without inconvenience. The above named rooms will be on the east side of the building, facing Wayne and Webster streets.

On the west side will be the children's reading room. Behind this room will be the waiting room in connection with the librarian's department, and the librarian's private office; also a work room, with telephone booths and librarian's assistants' room. A private stairway will lead to a rest room in the basement. Near the stack room will be a fumigating closet, librarian's toilet and other offices for storage, etc.

The building is entered through the loggia on the exterior into a vestibule, passing through handsome double oak doors into a corridor 60 feet long. On each side of the corridor will be seen the Italian marble staircase, leading to the second floor.

At the end of the corridor will be the delivery desk, octagonal in form, with turnstiles on either side of it, regulating admission to the stack room, which will be in the rear of the building, radial in form. The clear height of the interior of the stack room will be 38 feet 6 inches, allowing a book capacity, including open books as may be placed in the reading and reference rooms, of 80,000 to 90,000 volumes, this capacity

being considered as a future necessity for our growing city. All interior partitions on the first floor are to be of plate glass, with quartered white oak panelling and other wood finish with bold cement plaster columns covering the columns that support the steel structural work, these columns being finished with ornamental caps and bases. The ceilings will be finished with bold beam effects, allowing a good opportunity for further decoration.

The general arrangement of the first floor, properly called the library floor, gives the librarian and her assistants absolute supervision of every department contained on this floor with easy access to the stack room and reading rooms. Care has been taken to arrange all openings in order to properly distribute light through every portion of the building.

The ceiling of the first floor corridor will be pierced by a circular gallery opening, 20 feet in diameter, allowing light to pass through a handsome panel glass, in the ceiling of the second floor.

Passing from the first to the second floor up the prominent staircase, a large gallery will be seen with colonnades on each side, running from north to south to a length of 60 feet, this gallery having in its center a light-well, circular in form, 20 feet

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The south end of the gallery wall will be pierced with windows filled with painted glass to receive light from the upper part of the stack room.

On each side of the second floor gallery are situated the lecture room, 28x42 feet, also exhibition and class rooms about 28x18 feet. The second floor gallery will be fully completed, but it has been decided for purposes of economy to leave the lecture rooms, exhibition and class rooms incomplete for the present. As the special need for these rooms arises, owing to the progress of the city, they may be finished.

The basement forms an important part of this building. The finished portion will be the staircase and central corridor, also men's and women's toilet rooms.

A bicycle room is arranged in the southeast part of the main building with entrance on Webster street. In the southwest part of the main building is placed the rest or recreation room, for the use of the librarian and assistants. This room communicates with the librarian's department by a private stair.

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trance on the south side. The main building in the basement is divided from the stack room wing by a masonry wall, and every portion of the stack wing is fireproof. The building has a steel frame on the interior, with wood finish, framed between, protected on the underside with metal lath and cement plaster and on the upper side by double asbestos quilting.

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Never in the history of Pittsburg was there such a flood on such a night. The rains and snow of the past three days caused the upper tributaries of the local rivers to swell and the result was a rise almost unknown at this season of the year. Warning was sent out from the weather bureau that a flood stage was possible and even probable, but the suddenness with which the cold air descended on Saturday night influenced the minds of the men who were guarding the big coal fleets, and the rise came as almost a complete surprise to them. Usually a cold snap takes all the life and danger out of a flood. It failed to do so yesterday and as a result the freshet will cost hundreds of thousands of dollars that might have been saved.

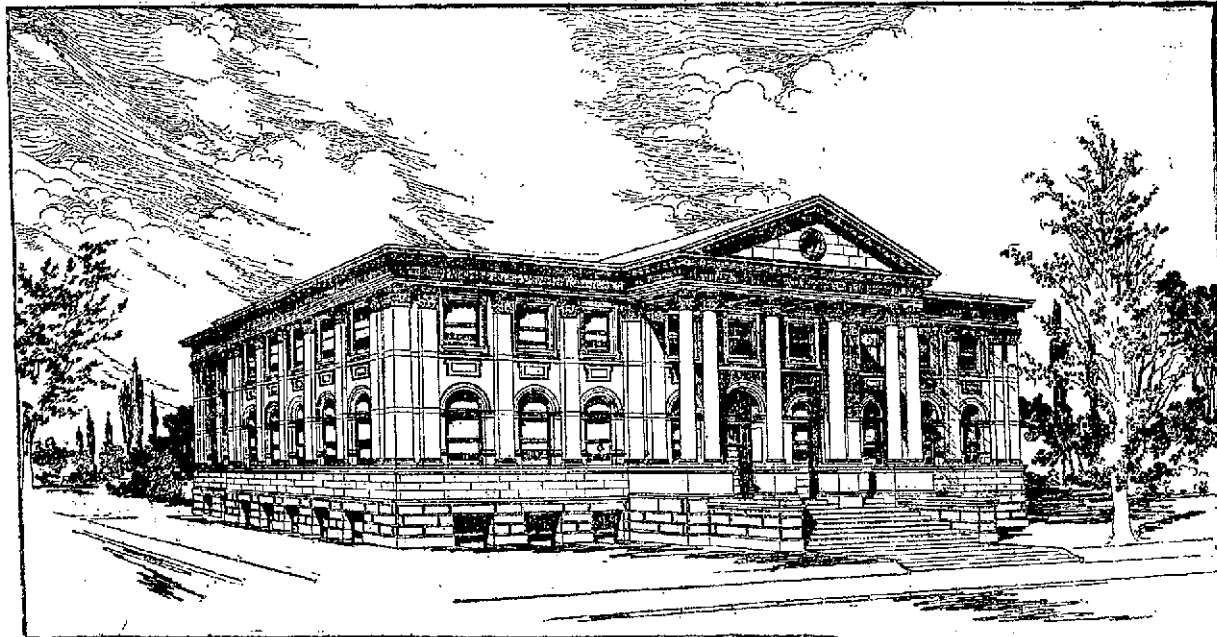
The damage to goods in the wharves, in warehouses, stores and private houses in the two cities will never be known. It will probably reach \$60,000. In addition to this many mills and factories along both rivers were forced to close down temporarily and thousands of men and women will be out of work from one to three days and much damage done to machinery and finished stock. At all points along the rivers reports of damage from the high water have been received. For a distance of half a mile along the river at Brinton the cellars of houses were completely filled with water last night and in some instances covered floors of the buildings.

BELOW DANGER MARK.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 16.—The flood which visited this section of the Schuylkill valley yesterday has receded and is now below the danger mark. Workmen are busy today clearing away the hundreds of tons of rock, earth and culm which were washed upon the tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading and Pennsylvania railroads, and the tracks of the Pottsville Traction company upon which lines travel was suspended yesterday. The traction company has not yet been able to resume communication with Schuylkill Haven, Arwingsburg, Minersville, Middleport or St. Clair because of the destruction of roadbed and small bridges.

Nearly every colliery in the district was forced to suspend work because of the flood.

ACCEPTED DESIGN FOR NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE.



PUBLIC LIBRARY FORT WAYNE IND. *Superintendent Architects for Wayne Ind.*

The Sentinel presents herewith an illustration of Fort Wayne's new public library building as it will appear when completed. This is the magnificent structure made possible by Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$75,000, and the picture is made from Architect Alfred Grindle's completed plans, which have been approved by the school board.

The building will be located at West Wayne and Webster streets and it is predicted that it will compare favorably with any structure of similar cost in the United States. The general style is classic of the Greco-Roman type of architecture, with a frontage of 100 feet on West Wayne street and 107 feet on Webster street, with loggia entrance projecting 18 feet beyond the Wayne street building line.

The exterior of the building will be faced throughout with buff Bedford Giltis stone. The pitched roofs will be of black Bangor slate, the flat roofs of Warren Anchor brand asphalt. All glass throughout the exterior openings will be of American plate, first quality.

The floors of the loggia and the vestibule will be tile or mosaic. The first floor will contain the general reading room with a reference room adjoining; also a card catalogue room being in such a position that

persons using the reference room may refer to the card catalogue room and stack room without inconvenience. The above named rooms will be on the east side of the building, facing Wayne and Webster streets. On the west side will be the children's reading room. Behind this room will be the waiting room in connection with the librarian's department, and the librarian's private office; also a work room, with telephone booths and librarian's assistants' room. A private stairway will lead to a rest room in the basement. Near the stack room will be a fumigating closet, librarian's toilet and other offices for storage, etc.

The building is entered through the loggia on the exterior into a vestibule, passing through handsome double oak doors into a corridor 50 feet long. On each side of the corridor will be seen the Italian marble staircase, leading to the second floor.

At the end of the corridor will be the delivery desk, octagonal in form, with turnstiles on either side of it, regulating admission to the stack room, which will be in the rear of the building, radial in form. The clear height of the interior of the stack room will be 32 feet 6 inches, allowing a book capacity, including such books as may be placed in the reading and reference rooms, of 80,000 to 90,000 volumes, this capacity

being considered as a future necessity for our growing city. All interior partitions on the first floor are to be of plate glass, with quartered white oak paneling and other wood finish with bold cement plaster columns covering the columns that support the steel structural work, these columns being finished with ornamental caps and bases. The ceilings will be finished with bold beam effects, allowing a good opportunity for further decoration.

The general arrangement of the first floor, properly called the library floor, gives the librarian and her assistants absolute supervision of every department contained on this floor with easy access to the stack room and reading rooms. Care has been taken to arrange all openings in order to properly distribute light through every portion of the building.

The ceiling of the first floor corridor will be pierced by a circular gallery opening, 20 feet in diameter, allowing light to pass through a handsome panel glass, in the ceiling of the second floor.

Passing from the first to the second floor up the prominent staircase, a large gallery will be seen with colonnades on each side, running from north to south to a length of 50 feet, this gallery having in its center a light-well, circular in form, 20 feet

in diameter, with marble parapet surrounding it.

The south end of the gallery wall will be pierced with windows filled with painted glass to receive light from the upper part of the stack room.

On each side of the second floor gallery are situated the lecture room, 28x42 feet, also exhibition and class rooms about 28x18 feet. The second floor gallery will be fully completed, but it has been decided for purposes of economy to leave the lecture rooms, exhibition and class rooms incomplete for the present. As the special need for these rooms arises, owing to the progress of the city, they may be finished.

The basement forms an important part of this building. The finished portion will be the staircase and central corridor, also men's and women's toilet rooms.

A bicycle room is arranged in the southeast part of the main building with entrance on Webster street. In the southwest part of the main building is placed the rest or recreation room for the use of the librarian and assistants. This room communicates with the librarian's department by a private stair.

A portion of the basement under the radiating stack room will be used for heating and ventilating chambers, packing and janitor's rooms and for storage, with a janitor's en-

trance on the south side. The main building in the basement is divided from the stack room wing by a masonry wall, and every portion of the stack wing is fireproof. The building has a steel frame on the interior, with wood finish, framed between, protected on the underside with metal lath and cement plaster used on the upper side by double asbestos quilting.

All wood finish will be quarter-sawn white oak and the floors, with the exception of the toilet rooms, of the same material. The toilet rooms will be of tile. It may safely be stated that the interior of the building will be effective and dignified in appearance, much study having been given to make it in every way a successful library.

Many alterations from the original plans have been necessary in order to bring the cost of the building within the appropriation, and the structure is more simple in treatment than at first planned. Architect Grindle says great care and thought has been exercised in order to avoid spoiling the architectural symmetry of the building. No changes have been made that call for second quality or cheap material. The completed building will appear precisely as shown in the accompanying illustration, and it will be a notable addition to the architectural beauty of the city.

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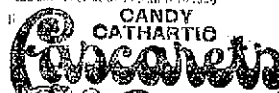
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SAVED BY BOREAS

(Continued from First Page.)

cause of the flood, and all the mules in the Pine Hill, Duncott and East collieries, at Ashland, were drowned. Joseph Curry, a Philadelphia and Reading railroad brakeman, slipped from the Buffalo express on the Reading tracks yesterday and has not been seen since. It is believed that he fell into the swollen waters of the Schuylkill river and was drowned.

FLOOD GOING DOWN.

Reading, Pa., Dec. 16.—At 10 o'clock this morning the flood in the Schuylkill river had receded five feet, but it is still ten feet above low water mark. The flood left in its wake a track of mud and coal dirt and the damage along the river front is heavy.

The Reading railway suffered the greatest damage on its Little Schuylkill branch and last night orders were issued calling out the work trains. Trains of cars were gotten together early this morning and the cars were loaded with runners and other material and taken up the road. It was then learned that the trouble was so serious and the water so high that it was impossible to reach the washouts on the Little Schuylkill branch. The water there is subsiding, however, and it is expected the work of repairing the damage will be commenced this afternoon.

AT BORDENTOWN, N. J.

Bordentown, N. J., Dec. 16.—The heaviest frost in many years is now running in the Delaware river here. The docks and piers in the vicinity of the Delaware and Burlington canal and the lowlands of Pennsylvania, opposite this city, are under water. The Pennsylvania railroad tracks between Bordentown and Trenton are covered with water for a distance of three miles. Trains are struggling through, but travel is much delayed. Large quantities of drift wood are coming down from the upper Delaware.

DAMAGE AT UTICA.

Utica, N. Y., Dec. 16.—The damage from flood in the valley of the West Canada creek will reach \$500,000. From 75,000 to 100,000 logs were washed away from Noblesboro, Hinchey and Trenton Falls. Four expensive railroad bridges were destroyed. One mill was taken down stream like a paper box and two others are badly wrecked. The railroad in that valley cannot be operated for four or five days. The electric power plant at Trenton Falls was damaged about \$3,000.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED.

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 16.—Business was practically suspended in Ithaca today on account of the flood. All street car lines were tied up, no mail was received and none was sent out. It was hoped, however, that the tracks of the Lehigh Valley railroad to the west would be repaired sufficiently today to enable trains to operate between Ithaca and Buffalo. Every available laboring man in Ithaca was given work and efforts were made to secure men from Oswego and other nearby towns. Brockton, five miles east, suffered much by the flood, several buildings being carried away.

HEAVY FINANCIAL LOSS.

Malone, N. Y., Dec. 16.—The storm of Saturday did more damage than was reported yesterday. The work-outs on the Adirondack division of the New York Central numbered thirty-four and the wreck train which left here yesterday morning for Fulton Chain was stalled beyond White Lake. Heavy financial loss was caused in all low-lying districts.

AT SYRACUSE.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 16.—The overflow of Onondaga creek Saturday night and Sunday did about \$150,000 damage in this city. Today the water has receded from all but the lowest ground about town.

AT EAST BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 16.—Locally there was no damage by flood Saturday night, but the effect on railway traffic is evident in the movement of trains today. The New York Central brought in a train this morning three hours late. On the Lehigh Valley two trains arrived after a delay of twenty-four hours. No trains have arrived over the Erie and Lehigh Valley roads since Saturday night.

ROADS IN BAD CONDITION.

Knock Church, Pa., Dec. 16.—The Lehigh Valley railroad is open from New York to March Creek, the first train this morning being the paper train through. It will probably

be several days before the company can send trains to Buffalo on schedule time. Above here the road is in very bad condition owing to serious washouts. The New Jersey Central Railroad company's tracks between Lehigh and March Creek, a distance of three miles, are washed out and traffic is blocked west of Lehigh. The road is open from Lehigh to New York. The water in the Lehigh river has fallen ten feet since yesterday at all points above Easton.

THE NEWS OF THE POLICE

White and black, sane and crazy, laborer and vagrant, drunk and sober, was the assortment of prisoners which faced Judge Louttit at police court this morning, and at that there were only three all told. The first was George McMillan, the colored coachman for Isaac Well, of West Wayne street. Mr. Well ran into the police station yesterday and wanted an officer to go to his house right away and arrest his coachman who was on the war path. He had been paid on Saturday and on Saturday night he was out for a time somewhere and was not feeling very well on Sunday. He had neglected his horses and when Mrs. Well told him to sweep some snow he made a disrespectful answer, whereupon Mr. Well discharged him. McMillan couldn't see it that way and refused to be discharged and when Mr. Well went to his quarters over the stables the coachman drew a knife and ordered his employer to fly out of there before he cut him into ribbons. "And you should have seen me fly," said Mr. Well. He confessed that he was afraid of the fellow and wanted to have him arrested and taken off the premises. McMillan did not return to the place yesterday nor last night, but showed up about 7 o'clock this morning. The police department was promptly notified and an officer was dispatched to get the obstreperous coachman. He had no difficulty in making the arrest, and to the charge of drawing a deadly weapon McMillan entered a plea of guilty. He was fined \$15 and after several unavailing attempts to secure bail he was taken to jail. His clothing and other effects were delivered at the station house and he was notified never to go upon the premises again after he got out of jail for this offense.

HE HAD SOME STORIES.

Homer Freeman was arrested Saturday afternoon and slated for vagrancy, to which charge he entered a plea of guilty. Mr. Freeman has a well developed case of what is popularly known as "bats." He is as crazy as the proverbial March hare and as a matter of precaution and safety he was sent over for fifteen days, and in the meantime an effort to locate his friends will be made. He is one of the most confidential fellows in the world and in a whisper confided to The Sentinel that he had been cutting corn this fall in Montgomery county, which was forty feet across the stump and from one to two hundred feet high. He said that his wife lives at Akron, O., but that the mayor of the town had made a rule that people who could not earn more than \$1.25 a day could not live with their wives and so he dug out. He has had considerable trouble in his time and the only persons he can get along with are section men, school teachers and preachers. The section men he says are harmless, and as he was once a school teacher himself, they recognize the fraternal bonds, while the preachers come to him for information which is always cheerfully given them. One preacher did not act right, so he just squeezed him into a vinegar barrel and "headed him up," and he is there yet. The man is apparently harmless, but needs attention.

POLICE NOTES.

Oliver Stuckey got drunk and was ragged. Yesterday a friend came to his rescue and he was hauled out this morning he was fined \$11, which sum was secured by replevin bail.

Upon the affidavit of Lieutenant Lapp a charge of assault and battery with intent to kill was this morning placed against Frederick Dorsey in police court. A warrant was issued and the same was placed in the hands of Sheriff Stout to be served on Dorsey the moment he gets in condition to leave the jail. At present he is being held for hospital treatment only.

Fire box No. 132, corner of Jefferson and Calhoun streets, is reported out of repair. This item is for the benefit of persons living in the vicinity who might have occasion to use the alarm.

Mrs. Goldstein, of East Washington street, reports the loss of a valuable silver ring, containing a setting of 14 pearls.

Fry Clerk Smith, of the police station, has just completed mounting two handsome specimens of the owl species. One is a rather rare specimen of the white variety and is exceptionally handsome. It is the property of a gentleman of Van Wert.

The Ladies' Missionary society of Plymouth Congregational church has sent a box of clothing to the mining district in the southern part of the state for the children of miners.

BABE'S SCALDS WERE FATAL

INFANT SON OF GEORGE KLINGENBERGER IS DEAD.

Mrs. Frederick Tieman, Sr., Succumbed Suddenly to Heart Disease—Other Mortuary Matters.

The funeral services of Maurice Klingenberg, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Klingenberg, of Bucyrus, O., were held this afternoon from the residence of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Klingenberg, 255 South Hanna street. The little one was but 18 months old, and its death occurred Saturday at Bucyrus as the result of a drowning accident, in which the babe overturned a pail of scalding hot water, and was so frightfully scalded that its death followed a few hours later. The parents removed from Fort Wayne to Bucyrus about two years ago.

TIEMAN.

Mrs. Anna Louise Tieman, wife of Contractor Frederick Tieman, died very suddenly from heart trouble at the family home, 424 South Broadway, Saturday evening at 9:45 o'clock. Mrs. Tieman had been apparently in her usual health, but during the evening complained of a pain in the region of the heart. She believed it due perhaps to a cold and was preparing to apply some home remedy to her chest. A few minutes later it grew so severe that she was compelled to lie down, and the family physician was hurriedly summoned. By the time he arrived the suffering woman was beyond human aid, and her death ensued in less than fifteen minutes after the attack became severe.

Mrs. Tieman's age was 55 years, 9 months and 12 days. She was a native of Osnabruck, Westphalia, Germany, but came to America at the age of sixteen years, and with the exception of four years residence in Cincinnati she had lived continuously in Fort Wayne. She was widely known and very highly esteemed. Surviving are the husband and six children—Mrs. W. C. McNutt and Messrs. Henry, Fred, John, Herman and George Tieman, all residents of Fort Wayne.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence and at 2:15 from Emanuel Lutheran church, of which she was a devoted member.

GICK.

Casper Gick, a pioneer resident of Adams township, died at his home Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the advanced age of 87 years. Mr. Gick has been in failing health for nearly one year, and death was due to the infirmities of age.

He was a native of Blosbach, Germany, came to Allen county fifty years ago, and for half a century has enjoyed the friendship, respect and esteem of all who knew him. Surviving are the aged widow and eight children as follows: John Gick, residing at the old home; George Gick, of this city; Henry Gick, of Portland; Louis Gick, of Fort Wayne; Conrad Gick, Mrs. Gottlieb Hiltzman, Mrs. Minnie Kiepp and Mrs. Carrie Schmidt, of this city.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 1 o'clock from the residence and at 2 from Zscheche's church in Marion township.

SOLD A BIG FARM.

President J. K. Ferguson, of the Citizens' Trust company, has just sold his magnificent farm of 265 acres in Pleasant township, to Messrs. C. E. Davidson, of Buffalo, and Mr. Adams, of Hoopston, Ill., who will take possession of the place March 1. It is regarded as one of the most desirable farms in the county, and the price paid was \$15,000. Mr. Ferguson has owned the farm for thirty-five years. It was originally very heavily timbered, and for thirty-five years there has been a saw mill upon the place, used in cutting up the thousands and thousands of feet of lumber which have been marketed from the farm. Mr. Ferguson regards it as a peculiar coincidence that he sold the farm on the very day that the last load of lumber was hauled from the place. He has had the lumber and the farm is now worth double the price paid for it thirty-five years ago. He says, however, that were the original timber standing today the farm would bring \$30,000 without difficulty.

The Woman's Bible meeting of the Wayne street M. E. church will be held in the Sunday school room tomorrow at 2:30. The lesson is Gen. 5:9. All ladies are welcome. Mrs. L. R. Hartman is leader.

Charles Zillars, assistant attorney for the Pennsylvania company, with offices in Chicago, spent Sunday with his parents in the city.

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Miss Nellie Buck will return from Michigan this week to spend the holiday season at home.

Miss Margaret O'Brien has returned home to Monroeville after a visit with friends in the city.

Charles E. Davis, of the Chicago Record-Herald, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. C. Paul entertained at a family dinner Saturday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Baldwin Kertzer, who has been visiting Dr. A. E. VanBuskirk, has returned to his home at Paulding, O.

Home lodge No. 342, F. and A. M., will install officers and have work in the second degree Tuesday evening.

The Sunday school scholars of Grace Reformed church will give a Christmas cantata on Christmas night.

Miss Bessie Baldwin will arrive in the city this week to spend the holidays with her mother and brother, Merck Baldwin.

Miss Cora Dawkins, a well known trained nurse, is quite ill from typhoid fever at her home, 103 West Washington street.

Ralph Ford, son of A. J. Ford, of 63 East Williams street, broke through the ice while skating on the reservoir yesterday.

Miss Gill, the soloist, has gone to Sandusky, where she will appear in Gale's "Christmas Eve" tomorrow before the Tuesday Musical club.

John I. Whitney, for many years connected with the Adams express office in this city, is confined to his home on Van Buren street by illness.

Mrs. Julia Fay Randall and daughter, Anna, leave this evening for New York to be the guests for a few weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer.

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Messrs. Sacrenty and Papapichos have opened a candy kitchen at 130 Calhoun street. Mr. Sacrenty was for a number of years with the Greek candy store.

Hon. R. K. Erwin, of Decatur, and Dr. Erwin, of Cadillac, Mich., have been in the city for a few days on a visit to Dr. Erwin's daughter, who is ill with appendicitis.

The Ministerial association held its regular session this morning in the Berry Street M. E. church. Routine business was transacted and a paper was read by Rev. Spellman.

Louis Schmidt, formerly city salesman for the Fort Wayne Drug company, has accepted a position with C. W. Orr, general agent of the Aetna Life Insurance company.

The opening of the Tippecanoe club quarters in the Wayne club building will occur next Saturday evening.

The club effects have been moved from the old quarters to the Wayne club building.

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A business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavorers of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ will be held at the home of Mrs. Magee, 229 West Berry street, Tuesday evening.

A course of lectures on Italian art is to be given under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian association by Mrs. R. S. Robertson, beginning January 14.

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No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame, are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

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The annual election of officers of the Cigarmakers' union will be held this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guild have as their guest H. N. Goodwin, of Orange, N. J.

Mrs. W. H. Olds and children have returned from a two months' stay in New York city.

Miss Nellie Buck will return from Michigan this week to spend the holiday season at home.

Miss Margaret O'Brien has returned home to Monroeville after a visit with friends in the city.

Charles E. Davis, of the Chicago Record-Herald, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. C. Paul entertained at a family dinner Saturday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Baldwin Herzer, who has been visiting Dr. A. E. VanBuskirk, has returned to his home at Paulding, O. Home lodge No. 342, P. and A. M., will install officers and have work in the second degree Tuesday evening.

The Sunday school scholars of Grace Reformed church will give a Christmas cantata on Christmas night.

Miss Bessie Baldwin will arrive in the city this week to spend the holidays with her mother and brother, Merck Baldwin.

Miss Cora Dawkins, a well known trained nurse, is quite ill from typhoid fever at her home, 103 West Washington street.

Ralph Ford, son of A. J. Ford, of 63 East Williams street, broke through the ice while skating on the reservoir yesterday.

Miss Gill, the soloist, has gone to Sandusky, where she will appear in Gode's "Christmas Eve" tomorrow before the Tuesday Musical club.

John I. Whitney, for many years connected with the Adams express office in this city, is confined to his home on Van Buren street by illness.

Mrs. Julia Fay Randall and daughter, Anna, leave this evening for New York to be the guests for a few weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer.

Harry Miesse left Saturday evening for a two weeks' eastern trip, in the course of which he will visit Washington, New York and Philadelphia.

Messrs. Sacrenty and Papapiolos have opened a candy kitchen at 130 Calhoun street. Mr. Sacrenty was for a number of years with the Greek candy store.

Hon. R. K. Erwin, of Decatur, and Dr. Irwin, of Cadillac, Mich., have been in the city for a few days on a visit to Dr. Erwin's daughter, who is ill with appendicitis.

The Ministerial association held its regular session this morning in the Bery Street M. E. church. Routine business was transacted and a paper was read by Rev. Spellman.

Louis Schmidt, formerly city salesman for the Fort Wayne Drug company, has accepted a position with C. W. Orr, general agent of the Aetna Life Insurance company.

The opening of the Tippecanoe club quarters in the Wayne club building will occur next Saturday evening.

The club efforts have been moved from the old quarters to the Wayne club building.

A pleasant surprise party was given a few evenings ago at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grouse in honor of Mrs. Grouse's birthday. Pedro was the game that occupied the twenty guests. Mrs. Grouse received a number of handsome presents.

A large brass phonograph horn fell from the second story of Wolff Bros.' clothing house while the concert was in progress on Saturday evening. A lady passing by the store at the time was struck on the shoulder, but escaped with a painful bruise.

Adolph S. Batchelder, who formerly resided in Fort Wayne, and from 1878 to 1879 was in the employ of the Pennsylvania company, has just been elected to the city council at Walkham, Mass.

Batchelder and Allen Hamilton, of this city, were old room-mates, and Mr. Hamilton is highly gratified to learn of the honor achieved by his old friend.

Miss Elsie Glass entertained a few friends at a musical at her home, 99 West Main street, Friday evening, in honor of Grey Bell, a young student of music. Piano solos were rendered by the Misses Pearson, Moore, Orris and Mr. Bell. Miss Kewkirs sang a ballad and a number of her inimitable comic songs. Violin solos were rendered by Herbert Patton and readings were given by Miss Bertha Boyer and the hostess. Refreshments were served at 11.

My Lungs

Perhaps they are sore and weak from constant coughing. How is this? Have you forgotten about the cough medicine your grandmother gave you fifty years ago,--Ayer's Cherry Pectoral? Ask your doctor how many years he has prescribed it.

"An eminent physician told me I certainly had consumption. I took Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and it completely cured me."

Mrs. S. L. Yeager, Oxford, Kans. 23c, 50c, 1.00. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

A MUSICAL SOCIETY.

The Orpheus club is the name of a new musical organization which was recently formed by a number of gentlemen interested in music, and the officers are: President, J. W. Bookham; vice president, Joseph Davis; secretary and treasurer, A. Schaff; conductor, Anton Sporl. The club rehearses every Tuesday night in the Schmitz block.

FAST FRIENDS.

Rushville, Ind.

Messrs. Ely Bros.--I have been a great sufferer from catarrh and hay fever and tried many things, but found no permanent relief until I found it in Ely's Cream Balm about eight years ago, and we have been fast friends ever since. (Rev.) R. M. Bentley.

Prove its value by investing 10 cents in trial size of Ely's Cream Balm. Druggists supply it and we mail it. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., New York.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Branch 827, Catholic Knights of America, elected officers yesterday as follows: Rev. F. Nigisch, spiritual director; H. H. Hilker, president; Anthony Dierkes, vice president; F. J. Federpell, recording secretary; H. S. Koehs, financial secretary; Geo. G. V. Schmidt, treasurer; Peter Schenkel, trustee for three years; John P. Sorg, trustee for two years; Joseph Ehinger, sergeant-at-arms; Julian Bonart, sentinel.

A business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavorers of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ will be held at the home of Mrs. Magee, 229 West Berry street, Tuesday evening.

A course of lectures on Italian art is to be given under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian association by Mrs. R. S. Robertson, beginning January 14.

A COMMON TROUBLE

Thousands Suffer From It Without Knowing Its Real Character.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame, are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicines and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspepsia often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much as in nearly every other organ; in some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others the kidneys are affected; in others the bowels are troubled, with loss of flesh and appetite, with the accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

Mr. A. W. Sharper, of No. 61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows: "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes give temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wore off. I attributed this to my sedentary habits, being a bookkeeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual facts."

Respectfully yours, A. W. Sharper.

61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind. It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancer of the stomach. They cure sour stomach, gas, loss of flesh and appetite, sleeplessness, palpitation, heartburn, constipation and headaches.

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. All druggists sell full sized packages at 50 cents.

CATHOLIC SOCIETIES ELECT.

St. Bernard branch No. 10, Catholic Knights of America, elected the following officers last night: Spiritual director, Rev. P. J. O'Reilly; president, John O'Connell; vice president, I. Freuburger; second vice president, John Ahren; recording secretary, Patrick Ryan; financial secretary, F. J. Fink; treasurer, Joseph J. Romany; sergeant-at-arms, Peter Nichter; trustee for three years, Frank X. Schubler; auditing committee, I. Freuburger, John H. Brannan and John Smith.

The election of St. Joseph's council, Catholic Benevolent Legion, resulted as follows: Chaplain, Rev. H. J. F. Kroll; president, J. J. Kolumann; vice president, William Kintz; orator, William Heit; chancellor, Fred Hulm; past chancellor, H. J. Nichter; secretary, B. J. Rekers; treasurer, Henry Hulm; guard, Henry Schneider; marshal, Charles Michaels; trustees, Joseph Miller, John Shoeff and Otto Gunkel.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

Gibson Pictures at Keil & Keil, 116 Calhoun street. 1613

Games and Books, suitable for old and young, at W. C. Baade's Book Store, 116 Calhoun street. 10-tf

WANTED.

Experienced operators on sewing machines, also inexperienced girls to learn special work.

FOSTER'S WAIST FACTORY.

8-eod-tf Gibson Pictures at Keil & Keil, 116 Calhoun street. 1613

LIVE AND LET LIVE.

We don't sell shoes for that is the shoe dealer's business; we don't sell millinery, for that belongs to the milliner; we don't sell clothing, for that belongs to the clothier; we don't sell dry goods for that belongs to the dry goods merchant, but we do make a specialty of TOYS and we positively have the best and largest assortment in the city at the lowest prices. We are headquarters on Dolls, Doll Cabs, Go-Carts, Games, Wagons, Wheelbarrows, Sleighs and Coasters, Velocipedes, Books, Baskets, Toy Dishes, Desks, Iron Trains, Stoves, Drums, Rocking Horses, Mechanical Toys and countless other things to please and delight the little ones. We do no flim-flam business; all our goods are marked in plain figures. Call, see our stock and be convinced.

"TEMPLE OF ECONOMY."

No. 9 East Main St. 7-9-11-13-15-18-20-21

Only dependable merchandise at Patterson's. d&w

Get one of the \$1.00 and \$1.25 books at The Sentinel office for 25c. See list in another column. 5-tf

A Bookcase, Parlor Desk, Center Table, Parlor Lamp or a Dinner Set, bought at Foster's, as a present to your wife would please her immensely.

Gibson Pictures at Keil & Keil, 116 Calhoun street. 1613

We make Frames.

121f KEIL & KEIL, 116 Calhoun St.

When your ship comes in--maybe years. Right now, though, is your chance.

INDIANA FURNITURE CO.,

121f Two Big Stores.

Gibson Pictures at Keil & Keil, 116 Calhoun street. 1613

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

St. Louis, Mo.--\$10.00 round trip. Tickets at this low round trip rate will be sold for train No. 3, the St. Louis limited, on Saturday nights only, and good to return on all trains up to and including train No. 6, leaving St. Louis at 2:45 Monday morning. This gives you twenty hours in the world's fair city. dec2-tf

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YOUR CHOICE OF 32 BOOKS FOR 25c.

See the list in another column. 5-tf

FUR GLOVES.

This weather just makes our Fur Gloves Smile. They are looking for new homes. Why not adopt a pair--for him. Prices, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

d&w REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

Mrs. Austin's Cereals have the largest sale of any similar goods. Try them and you will understand why. 13-5t

WANTED.

WANTED--Coppers at the Mapower 11-11

WANTED--A standing desk. Address Box 10, 1015 office. 18-10-tf

WANTED--Broommakers and sewing girls at 98 Ewing street. 11-11

WANTED--Young men for railway mail clerks. Inter-State Corres. Inst., Cedar Rapids, Ia. 11-15-1m

WANTED--If you want to borrow money see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18-1f

WANTED--To exchange 70-acre farm for good residence property in city. R. G. Newwinger, 18 Harrison street. 10-11-1f

WANTED--If you want a bargain in real estate call on Val Rocholl, 23 Court street. Home phone 49 main. 11-14-1f

WANTED--Stark Nursery pays cash weekly if you sell Stark trees. Louisiana, Missouri, Danville, New York. 8-12-1f

WANTED--Agents make \$45 per week working for the new House Furnishing Co., 55 Clinton street. Call and talk with them. 10-8t

WANTED--Experienced overall makers; steady employment to good workers. Apply at Hooner Mfg. Co., 33 and 39 East Berry street. 12-3-1m

FOR RENT--No. 305 Highland avenue, on payment, nearly new, \$1,300; also others from day to day; I have a few business rooms also. W. E. Deed, over Old National bank. 7-1f

WANTED--Every man, woman and child to call at the Citizens' Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handiest bank books, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, \$200,000; interest paid on deposits. 8-1f

WANTED--Mrs. Fitzgerald's Employment office, 39 West Washington street, want 10 cooks and 10 second girls for private families; general house girls; good dress room girls out of city, from \$4 to \$5 per week; have a good experienced housekeeper; can give references, no charge to girls. 16-1f

WANTED--Lady or gentleman agent for first-class line of hosiery and Racine feet. Apply, room 35, Avenue Hotel. 10-1f

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT--Rooms at 10 East Washington street. 14-1f

FOR RENT--219 Madison street. Apply to Fred J. Hayden. 11-11-1f

FOR RENT--Nicely furnished rooms at 24 West Berry street. 12-3-1m

FOR RENT--A good barn; also a furnished room. 105 Barr street. 10-15-1f

FOR RENT--Ground floor offices in Arcade; most convenient in the city. 10-10-1f

FOR RENT--A furnished front parlor, downstairs. Inquire 77 East Berry street. 7-1f

FOR RENT--Room, without board, including bath; day boarders wanted. Mrs. Keiler, 40 West Wayne. 2-15-1f

FOR RENT--Pleasant furnished room, with board, bath and all modern conveniences; desirable location. 27 and 30 East Washington. 12-1-1m

FOR RENT--Good twenty-room hotel at Latty, Ohio; established trade and reasonable rent. Address R. S. Latty, DeWitt, Ohio. 12-1-1f

FOR RENT--Residence 142 East Berry to desirable parties; references required. Inquire 149 East Berry between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. 10-15-1f

FOR RENT--Two large, handsomely furnished front rooms, bay window and alcove, in new brick residence; all modern conveniences, at 116 Fulton street. 10-1f

FOR RENT--Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dining floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1052, new phone. 10-1f

FOR RENT--The handsomest small store room in Fort Wayne, 223 1/2, with 50 feet plate glass show windows, on West Berry street and Arcade corridor; large enough for prescription drug store, druggists' sundries, soda fountain, cigars, candy store, fruit stand, cut flowers. 10-10-1f

FOR

Only 7 More Shopping Days Till Xmas.

The time is getting short and the good things are going fast. Every department is filled to overflowing with new goods suitable for Christmas gifts. The best time to trade is in the morning or evening to avoid the big crowds in the afternoon.

XMAS HANDKERCHIEFS.

Our line of Handkerchiefs for Ladies, Men and Children is the largest ever shown. Values better and prices lower here than anywhere else.

500 doz. Ladies' 15c and 25c Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs at 10c and 15c.

900 doz. Ladies' Swiss Embroidered and H. S. Handkerchiefs, worth up to 50c, choice for 25c.

Ladies' Hand-Made Handkerchiefs at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 each. Ladies' All Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, at 15c.

Men's Initial Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, 10c; regular value, 15c. Men's H. S. Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, special value at 25c and 50c.

HOLIDAY JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS.....

Ladies' Solid Gold Shell, Band and Set Rings at 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

Ladies' 50c Brooches and Hat Pins, 25c; better ones at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Stunning Silver Baby Bracelets, 50c; gold filled at 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Men's Gold Filled Watch Chains at \$1.00, \$1.50 and up to \$3.00; every chain guaranteed to wear from 10 to twenty years at one-half jeweler's prices.

Ebony Hair Brushes, Hat, Clothes and Bonnet Brushes, at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Ebony Hand Mirrors at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

EBONY AND STERLING SILVER NAIL FILES, TOOTH BRUSHES, BUTTON HOOKS AND OTHER USEFUL ARTICLES AT 10c, 15c AND 25c.

XMAS GLOVES AND MITTS.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, all colors and black, at 75c and \$1.00. Ladies' Silk and Wool-lined Mocha Gloves at \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Golf Gloves for Ladies and Children, a big assortment, at 25c and 50c.

Men's Lined Kid Gloves at 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Kid and Wool Mitts at 50c; worth 75c.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Colored Soft and Laundered Bosomed Shirts, choice new styles, at 50c and \$1.00.

All the latest styles in Men's Neckwear at 25c and 50c.

Men's and Boys' Mufflers from 25c up to \$1.50.

Men's Night Robes at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

LEATHER GOODS SALE.

Ladies' Pocket Books, well worth 50c, at 25c; others at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Chatelaine Bags in Metal, Beaded and Leather; every one a bargain, at the price, 25c, 50c, 75c and up to \$5.00.

Special Christmas sale prices on all Underwear, Hosiery, Fur Scarfs, Petticoats, Ladies' Silk and Wool Waists, Umbrellas, etc.

WELKER & NABLO,

Schmitz Block, 118 Calhoun Street.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, DEC. 16, 1901.

TONIGHT.

Labor Unions—No. 37, Cigarmakers, 19 West Berry street, third floor; No. 14, Barbers, 138 Calhoun street, third floor; No. 118, Tailors, 41 West Main street, second floor; No. 141 Locomotive Firemen, 140 Calhoun street, third floor; Carpenters and Joiners, 62 Clinton street, third floor; No. 39, Painters and Decorators, in K. of L. hall.

Miscellaneous—Caledonian society, in Caledonian hall, 78 Calhoun street; Encampment No. 51, U. V. L.

Fraternal Societies—Sol D. Bayless, F. and A. M.; Bethany court No. 341, Tribe of Ben Hur; Fort Wayne No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix No. 101, K. of P.; Modern Woodmen, camp 4781; Knights of Columbus; Fort Wayne homestead No. 376, Brotherhood of American Yeomen; Summit encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F.

Masonic Temple—Week's attractions: tonight—William H. Crane in "David Harum."

Thursday night—"The High Roller," burlesque.

Friday night—"Florodora."

Flower Show—At Randall hall.

This borean blast came suddenly and it hit hard, but no one ought to

object. Obviously the time to have cold weather is in winter. Moreover, this frosty spell gives zest to the holiday prospect.

The wise householder who ordinarily uses natural gas for fuel will show wisdom of superior sort by laying in a ton or two of coal for such emergencies as the present. When gas is short, coal is a mighty good thing to have in the cellar, and gas is usually short when it is most wanted.

Marconi's latest success in wireless telegraphy must give the submarine cable magnates a severe fit of shivering. When it is possible to communicate across the oceans without wires monopoly of submarine telegraphing can begin to see what kind of finish is coming around the bend of the road. Monopoly of land telegraphing also can find in the possibilities of wireless message-sending something to take to heart and ponder over. It is not impossible, however, that the monopolies will ultimately control the Marconi invention.

There is scarcely any division of sentiment throughout the United States that Admiral Dewey's judgment in the Schley case gives best expression to what the American people believe in their hearts. Members of the house and senate are almost unanimous in this view, though

many of them deprecate congressional action in the nature of further inquiry. However, a joint resolution approving Admiral Dewey's findings is not unlikely and that doubtless would satisfy every friend of the hero of Santiago. Admiral Schley may begin civil action against the publishing house that brought out Macley's slanderous "history" of the navy for damages. Such a course would doubtless get at the bottom of a good many things the late court failed to reach and bring the naval cabal, with Crowninshield at the head, to tell what they know.

The greatest triumph yet achieved by Marconi, inventor of the wireless telegraph, was determined last week, when signal messages were received at his temporary station near St. Johns, Newfoundland, from his station in Cornwall, England, a distance of nearly two thousand miles. No attempt was made to send messages, owing to the crudeness of the apparatus installed at St. Johns and the fact that instead of a stationary mast a kite was employed for the upper air connection. But the experiment was a success. Marconi before sailing from England arranged with the person in charge of the Cornwall station to transmit the Morse telegraph code for the letter "a." This signal was repeated at intervals during two days and Marconi then announced the success of his experiment. He will return to England shortly and after awhile return with better apparatus. He will also erect a mast at St. Johns which will overcome the uncertainties of using a kite to give altitude to the apparatus. Marconi is reticent about this latest triumph, but indicates his belief that he will shortly solve the problem of telegraphic communication between Europe and America without the use of submarine cables.

HE IS NOW A NEWSPAPER MAN

HON. R. B. SHIRLEY EMBARKS IN NEW ENTERPRISE.

Former Representative Launches the Shirley City Entertainer, a New Weekly.

Hon. Robert B. Shirley, formerly representative from Allen county in the state legislature, is now a newspaper man, and Allen county has a new newspaper published within its borders. It is the Shirley City Entertainer, and the first number of the publication reached the city today.

The Entertainer is a five-column quarto weekly newspaper, and its mission is announced "to build up our town, to make our homes pleasanter and to do good to our neighbors."

Mr. Shirley is announced as its editor. Previous publications issued at that point have borne the name of "Woodburn," but the Entertainer has cut loose from tradition and floats the name of Shirley City at its head. Politically the Entertainer says it will "try to be found advocating the cause of the masses, the great common people and the sons of toil." The initial number contains an exhaustive write-up of the business interests of Shirley City.

WITH THE CLUBS.

The Unity club meets with Mrs. Behrer and the subject of travel will be "The Hub to Gotham."

The Current Literature club meets with Miss Heller. A review of "The Reign of Law" will be given by Madam Ransom and Lose.

The Nineteenth Century club meets with Mrs. J. B. Harper. A paper on architecture will be read by Mrs. I. N. Taylor and Mrs. A. D. Guild will give a talk on sculpture as an industrial art.

The regular meeting of the Morning Musical society will be held on Friday morning in the Wayne Street M. E. church, at 10 o'clock. Mrs. F. E. Stouder has charge of the program and the three male quartets, Haydn, Linden and Apollo, will assist in rendering the program.

There will be a meeting of the Girls' Friendly society in the parish house this evening at 7:30. An admission service will be held.

WANTED "GOOD HOMES" FOR CHILDREN.

Persons desiring to take children to bring up and able to give them good comfortable homes and a common school education are invited to call on or address The Allen County Orphans' Home, Fort Wayne, Ind. References are required from all applicants for children. 10-154-wf

COLDER THAN LAST WINTER

MERCURY THIS MORNING WAS 9 BELOW ZERO.

City Suffers Under Long Siege of Winter—Gas Pressure Light—Factories Out of.

While the first genuine siege of winter which began Saturday night has been hanging on with grim persistence, some comfort may be extracted from the prediction of higher temperature for this section, and if the weather man has not missed his guess, there is early relief in sight for this shivering city. The mercury did its premier flourish this morning at 6:30 o'clock, when it reached 9 degrees below zero—the lowest mark for the present winter, and lower by three degrees than the record of last winter as shown at the gas company's office.

Beginning Saturday evening there was a decided drop. Zero was reached at 9 o'clock, a decline of twenty degrees since noon of that day. Sunday morning at 6 o'clock the machine registered 5 below, and an hour later it had dropped another degree—the coldest point of the day. Seven degrees above, at noon, was the warmest point of the day, and then the retrograde movement began once more. At 6 o'clock Sunday evening it was 2 degrees below the zero mark, and at midnight there had been a further decline of six degrees. The record beginning at that hour, as recorded by the gas company, is as follows:

Midnight -3
1 a. m. -3
2 a. m. -3
3 a. m. -3
4 a. m. -3
5 a. m. -3
6 a. m. -3
7 a. m. -3
8 a. m. -3
9 a. m. -3
10 a. m. -2
11 a. m. 2
12 m. 3
1 p. m. 6
2 p. m. 6

GAS PRESSURE LOW.

Under the sustained siege of severe cold the natural gas pressure went badly off, and it was utterly impossible to secure a supply sufficient to keep more than passably comfortable, and in many sections of the city even this was impossible. There had been a break at the Bluffton pumping station Saturday, putting one of the engines out of service, but even with this in full operation the supply is utterly insufficient to withstand a protracted period of zero weather, and those who were fortunate enough to have a supply of other fuel on hand piled it into the stoves and furnaces. Those who did not, could only shiver and make the best of it.

Orders were issued yesterday cutting off the gas supply from all the manufacturing institutions in the city, and this will in a measure help out the situation, though only a comparatively small number of factories were using the gas. Repairs for the broken pump at Bluffton were ordered shipped by express, and the engine will be placed in service today. With the prospect of a rise in temperature, Mr. Paul stated this morning that the company expected by this evening to be caught up with the pressure again, though the drain over Sunday has been a tremendous one and the pressure this morning was extremely low. Mr. Paul says that even with the present discomfort, Fort Wayne is better off in the way of gas supply than any other city in Indiana, and though everything possible is being done to furnish gas, the wise man will have a supply of wood or coal laid by in cases of emergency.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

Jake Luley, who was brought here from Marion last week charged with complicity with Frank Coudrey in the theft of a set of harness from Joe Christman last spring, was taken into the circuit court this morning to plead. He entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to the prison north for one to seven years. Both men will be taken away tomorrow, Coudrey, being under thirty, going to Jeffersonville and Luley, being over fifty-seven, going to Michigan City.

The lawyer-statesmen have finally all returned from Indianapolis and all agree that there will be no decision in the Fort Wayne charter cases in less than two weeks.

Tilman A. Emley sues Aaron C. Kelley et al. to quiet title.

In the divorce case of Diffendorfer vs. Diffendorfer, the defendant has been ordered to pay \$35 attorneys' fees within five days.

In the case of Schane vs. Palmer, Judge Aiken has overruled a motion for a new trial.

The jury in the case of Angeline vs. Snider arrived at a verdict about midnight on Saturday and returned it this morning in the superior court. It was for the defendant. The ac-

tion of the plaintiff was to recover a claim for \$125.

In the case of Tegtmeyer vs. Tegtmeyer, on divorce proceedings, the defendant is this afternoon endeavoring to explain to Judge Aiken why he has not obeyed the order of the court to pay his wife \$5 per month for support.

Jake Luley will be taken to Michigan City this evening by Deputy Sheriff Reichelderfer, and Frank Coudrey will be taken to Jeffersonville tomorrow morning by Mat Mopper, special deputy. Both go for a term of one to fourteen years.

The circuit court jury will report tomorrow. The only case on the calendar for tomorrow is that of the state vs. Mennewick.

John E. Bleekman has commenced suit against Kebeeb Kantos for damages in the sum of \$150. The plaintiff claims that Kantos rented a house from him, which he left in bad shape when he moved out and that it was damaged to the amount claimed.

The county commissioners will not be in session before Wednesday.

The justices' courts were a total blank today. There was not a suit filed nor a trial set.

MARRIAGES LICENSES.

Burton E. Rhodes and Minnie Holworth.

Mrs. David Crighton and children, of Oak Park, Ill., will spend this week with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Guild.

Fort Wayne Trust Co.

CAPITAL, \$200,000.00.

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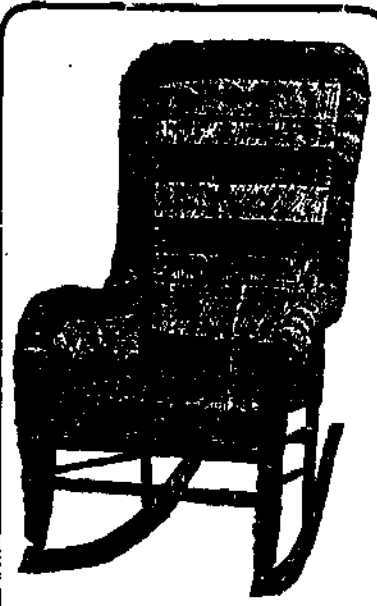
Open Evenings.

Come in and Look Around

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To a

HAPPY CHRISTMAS.



200 ROCKERS

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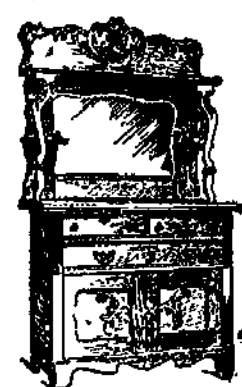
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We are selling Flour and Sugar at the same old prices though expecting a raise in both before many days, so now is the time to buy.

Our city flour, 1/4 sack, 94c.

Washburn Crosby, 1/4 sack, \$1.10.

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HOLIDAY JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS.....

Ladies' Solid Gold Shell, Band and Set Rings at 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, DEC. 16, 1901.

TONIGHT.

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Miscellaneous—Caledonian society, in Caledonian hall, 76 Calhoun street; Encampment No. 51, U. V. L.

Fraternal Societies—Sol D. Bayless, F. and A. M.; Bethany court No. 141, Tribe of Ben Hur; Fort Wayne No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix No. 101, K. of P.; Modern Woodmen, camp 4761; Knights of Columbus; Fort Wayne homestead No. 376, Brotherhood of American Yeomen; Summit encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F.

Masonic Temple—Week's attractions: tonight—William H. Crane in "David Harum."

Thursday night—"The High Roller," burlesque.

Friday night—"Flordora."

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HE IS NOW A NEWSPAPER MAN

HON. R. B. SHIRLEY EMBARKS IN NEW ENTERPRISE.

Former Representative Launches the Shirley City Entertainer, a New Weekly.

Hon. Robert B. Shirley, formerly representative from Allen county in the state legislature, is now a newspaper man, and Allen county has a new newspaper published within its borders. It is the Shirley City Entertainer, and the first number of the publication reached the city today.

The Entertainer is a five-column quarto weekly newspaper, and its mission is announced "to build up our town, to make our homes pleasanter and to do good to our neighbors."

Mr. Shirley is announced as its editor. Previous publications issued at that point have borne the name of Woodburn, but the Entertainer has cut loose from tradition and floats the name of Shirley City at its head. Politically the Entertainer says it will "try to be found advocating the cause of the masses, the great common people and the sons of toil." The initial number contains an exhaustive write-up of the business interests of Shirley City.

WITH THE CLUBS.

The Unity club meets with Mrs. Rehner and the subject of travel will be "The Hub to Gotham."

The Current Literature club meets with Miss Heller. A review of "The Reign of Law" will be given by Madames Ransom and Lose.

The Nineteenth Century club meets with Mrs. J. B. Harper. A paper on architecture will be read by Mrs. L. N. Taylor and Mrs. A. D. Guild will give a talk on sculpture as an industrial art.

The regular meeting of the Morning Musical society will be held on Friday morning in the Wayne Street M. E. church, at 10 o'clock. Mrs. E. E. Stouder has charge of the program and the three male quartets, Haydn, Linden and Apollo, will assist in rendering the program.

There will be a meeting of the Girls' Friendly society in the parish house this evening at 7:30. An admission service will be held.

WANTED "GOOD HOMES" FOR CHILDREN.

Persons desiring to take children to bring up and able to give them good comfortable homes and a common school education are invited to call on or address The Allen County Orphans' Home, Fort Wayne, Ind. References are required from all applicants for children. 10-15d-wtf

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GAS PRESSURE LOW.

Under the sustained siege of severe cold the natural gas pressure went badly off, and it was utterly impossible to secure a supply sufficient to keep more than passably comfortable, and in many sections of the city even this was impossible. There had been a break at the Bluffton pumping station Saturday, putting one of the engines out of service, but even with this in full operation the supply is utterly insufficient to withstand a protracted period of zero weather, and those who were fortunate enough to have a supply of other fuel on hand piled it into the stoves and furnaces. Those who did not, could only shiver and make the best of it.

Orders were issued yesterday cutting off the gas supply from all the manufacturing institutions in the city, and this will in a measure help out the situation, though only a comparatively small number of factories were using the gas. Repairs for the broken pump at Bluffton were ordered shipped by express, and the engine will be placed in service today. With the prospect of a rise in temperature, Mr. Paul stated this morning that the company expected by this evening to be caught up with the pressure again, though the drain over Sunday has been a tremendous one and the pressure this morning was extremely low. Mr. Paul says that even with the present discomfort, Fort Wayne is better off in the way of gas supply than any other city in Indiana, and though everything possible is being done to furnish gas, the wise man will have a supply of wood or coal laid by in cases of emergency.

ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE.

Jake Luley, who was brought here from Marion last week charged with complicity with Frank Coudrey in the theft of a set of harness from Joe Christman last spring, was taken into the circuit court this morning to plead. He entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to the prison north for one to seven years. Both men will be taken away tomorrow, Coudrey, being under thirty, going to Jeffersonville and Luley, being over fifty-seven, going to Michigan City.

The lawyer-statesmen have finally all returned from Indianapolis and all agree that there will be no decision in the Fort Wayne charter cases in less than two weeks.

Tilman A. Emley sues Aaron C. Kelley et al. to quiet title.

In the divorce case of Diffendorfer vs. Diffendorfer, the defendant has been ordered to pay \$25 attorneys' fees within five days.

In the case of Schane vs. Palmer, Judge Aiken has overruled a motion for a new trial.

The jury in the case of Angevine vs. Snider arrived at a verdict about midnight on Saturday and returned it this morning in the superior court. It was for the defendant. The ac-

tion of the plaintiff was to recover a claim for \$125.

In the case of Tegtmeyer vs. Tegtmeyer, on divorce proceedings, the defendant is this afternoon endeavoring to explain to Judge Aiken why he has not obeyed the order of the court to pay his wife \$5 per month for support.

Jake Luley will be taken to Michigan City this evening by Deputy Sheriff Reichelderfer, and Frank Coudrey will be taken to Jeffersonville tomorrow morning by Mat Momper, special deputy. Both go for a term of one to fourteen years.

The circuit court jury will report tomorrow. The only case on the calendar for tomorrow is that of the state vs. Mennewisch.

John E. Bleekman has commenced suit against Kebeeb Kantoos for damages in the sum of \$150. The plaintiff claims that Kantoos rented a house from him, which he left in bad shape when he moved out and that it was damaged to the amount claimed.

The county commissioners will not be in session before Wednesday.

The justices' courts were a total blank today. There was not a suit filed nor a trial set.

MARRIAGES LICENSES.

Burton E. Rhodes and Minnie Holworth.

Mrs. David Crighton and children, of Oak Park, Ill., will spend this week with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Guild.

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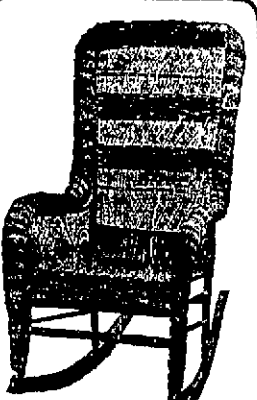
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OFFICIAL COUNCIL
PROCEEDINGS.

The Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne reconvened in the Council Chamber Friday evening, Dec. 13, A. D., 1901, His Honor, Mayor M. C. Berghoff, in the chair, and A. M. Schmidt, clerk, at the desk, and present the following members, 14, viz: Baade, Baker, Bauer, Ehrman, Figel, Glenn, Hensch, Kosey, Kohrmann, Lennon, Miller, O'Ryan, Sordet, Zurbuch.

Absent, 6, viz: Councilmen Borkenstein, Foellinger, Gerding, Griebel, Meier, Scheid.

Upon motion of Mr. Bauer the council took a recess of twenty minutes in order to allow the committee on rules, regulations and ordinances to frame a report with regard to the agreement with the Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Company.

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FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 13, 1901.

Gentlemen: We, the undersigned committee on rules, regulations and ordinances, to whom was referred the ordinance granting the Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Company the right to place a "T" on Bass streets, etc., recommend the passage of said ordinance.

J. J. BAUER,
M. W. KOHRMANN,
W. M. GLENN,
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Concurred in.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 135.

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Whereas, heretofore to-wit, on Dec. 10, 1901, the board of public works of the city of Fort Wayne, state of Indiana, on and on behalf of the city of Fort Wayne entered into the following agreement and contract, viz:

This agreement, entered into this 10th day of December, 1901, between the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its board of public works, party of the first part, and the Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Company, party of the second part, witnesseth:

That whereas, the party of the second part has by assignment succeeded to all the rights and obligations in a certain franchise and contract entered into and granted by the city of Fort Wayne, to George Townsend, William S. Reed and Charles O. Miller, bearing date November 27, 1900, which contract and franchise was approved by ordinance of the common council on Dec. 13, 1900.

And whereas, the party of the second part has now completed its railroad between the city of Huntington and Fort Wayne, and some distance into the city of Fort Wayne.

And whereas, the party of the second part is desirous of being granted the permission to construct and maintain for the period of one year from this date a spur track on Bass street as a "T" from Fairfield avenue, for the purpose of turning its cars, and is also desirous of being granted permission to place and maintain wooden poles on Taylor street from the Wabash railroad to the city limits, the same to remain only until June 1, 1902.

1. Wherefore, it is agreed, and the party of the second part, its successors and assigns, is hereby granted permission and authority to construct a spur track on Bass street, commencing at Fairfield avenue, and running thence east, not to exceed one hundred and fifty (150) feet, and connect the same with the track of the second party on Fairfield avenue, with suitable curves in each direction, thus forming a "Y" also to construct such necessary poles and wires as is proper and necessary to operate the same for the purpose of turning the cars of the party of the second part, and permission is given to use wooden poles in constructing said spur.

2. That said "Y" and all its appurtenances hereby authorized is for temporary use only, and within one year from this date, all rights herein granted shall cease, and the party of the second part shall before said time remove said "Y" and all appurtenances constructed under this contract, and restore said street to its present condition.

3. That the work done under this contract in the construction of said "Y," and appurtenances thereto, as herein granted, shall be done in accordance with the provisions of said franchise, bearing date November 27, 1900, so far as the same relates to the manner of construction, and the supervision thereof by the board of public works, and the city civil engineer.

4. It is agreed, however, that in constructing said "Y," a "T" rail may be used.

5. It is further agreed that the second party before exercising any of the rights and privileges granted by this contract shall execute and file with the city of Fort Wayne a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5,000.00 with good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the board of public works, conditioned, that the party of the second part, its successors and assigns, shall faithfully carry out this contract and perform each and every agreement herein contained, and shall fully protect and hold harmless the city of Fort Wayne from any loss or liability growing out of any act of the party of the second part, in the construction and operation of the track hereby authorized.

6. It is further agreed that in the use of the "Y" track herein authorized to be laid, said party of the second part will not use the same for storing cars thereon, nor will its use be such as will in any way unnecessarily obstruct the use of the sidewalk crossing on the east side of Fairfield avenue.

7. It is agreed as to so much of the line of railway of the party of the second part on Taylor street, west of the Wabash railroad, that the party of the second part may use wooden poles in the construction thereof, and maintain the same until the first day of June, 1902, at which time the said wooden poles shall be replaced by iron poles, as provided in said franchise, bearing date November 27, 1900, under which the party of the second part is constructing its railroad within the limits of the city of Fort Wayne.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 10th day of December, 1901.

City of Fort Wayne,
By FELIX ECKHART,
WM. KOHRMANN,
M. C. ZOLLINGER,
Attest: A. M. SCHMIDT, Clerk.

Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Co.,
By S. L. NELSON,
"Vice President.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the contract and agreement heretofore to-wit, on December 10, 1901, made and entered into by and between the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its board of public works, and the Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Company, as fully set out in the preamble hereto, be and the same is hereby in all things approved.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force on and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

G. E. HENCK,
The ordinance was read the third time in full. The motion to suspend the rules for the purpose of passing the ordinance was carried by the following vote:

Ayes, 14, viz: Baade, Baker, Bauer, Ehrman, Figel, Glenn, Hensch, Kosey, Kohrmann, Lennon, Miller, O'Ryan, Sordet, Zurbuch.

Noes, none.

Upon motion the council now took a recess for the purpose of going into executive session.

The mayor appointed Mr. Bauer chairman of the committee of the whole.

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That whereas, the party of the second part has by assignment succeeded to all the rights and obligations in a certain franchise and contract entered into and granted by the city of Fort Wayne, to George Townsend, William S. Reed and Charles O. Miller, bearing date November 27, 1900, which contract and franchise was approved by ordinance of the common council on Dec. 13, 1900.

And whereas, the party of the second part has now completed its railroad between the city of Huntington and Fort Wayne, and some distance into the city of Fort Wayne.

And whereas, the party of the second part is desirous of being granted the permission to construct and maintain for the period of one year from this date a spur track on Bass street as a "T" from Fairfield avenue, for the purpose of turning its cars, and is also desirous of being granted permission to place and maintain wooden poles on Taylor street from the Wabash railroad to the city limits, the same to remain only until June 1, 1902.

1. Wherefore, it is agreed, and the party of the second part, its successors and assigns, is hereby granted permission and authority to construct a spur track on Bass street, commencing at Fairfield avenue, and running thence east, not to exceed one hundred and fifty (150) feet, and connect the same with the track of the second party on Fairfield avenue, with suitable curves in each direction, thus forming a "Y" also to construct such necessary poles and wires as is proper and necessary to operate the same for the purpose of turning the cars of the party of the second part, and permission is given to use wooden poles in constructing said spur.

2. That said "Y" and all its appurtenances hereby authorized is for temporary use only, and within one year from this date, all rights herein granted shall cease, and the party of the second part shall before said time remove said "Y" and all appurtenances constructed under this contract, and restore said street to its present condition.

3. That the work done under this contract in the construction of said "Y," and appurtenances thereto, as herein granted, shall be done in accordance with the provisions of said franchise, bearing date November 27, 1900, so far as the same relates to the manner of construction, and the supervision thereof by the board of public works, and the city civil engineer.

4. It is agreed, however, that in constructing said "Y," a "T" rail may be used.

5. It is further agreed that the second party before exercising any of the rights and privileges granted by this contract shall execute and file with the city of Fort Wayne a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5,000.00 with good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the board of public works, conditioned, that the party of the second part, its successors and assigns, shall faithfully carry out this contract and perform each and every agreement herein contained, and shall fully protect and hold harmless the city of Fort Wayne from any loss or liability growing out of any act of the party of the second part, in the construction and operation of the track hereby authorized.

6. It is further agreed that in the use of the "Y" track herein authorized to be laid, said party of the second part will not use the same for storing cars thereon, nor will its use be such as will in any way unnecessarily obstruct the use of the sidewalk crossing on the east side of Fairfield avenue.

7. It is agreed as to so much of the line of railway of the party of the second part on Taylor street, west of the Wabash railroad, that the party of the second part may use wooden poles in the construction thereof, and maintain the same until the first day of June, 1902, at which time the said wooden poles shall be replaced by iron poles, as provided in said franchise, bearing date November 27, 1900, under which the party of the second part is constructing its railroad within the limits of the city of Fort Wayne.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 10th day of December, 1901.

City of Fort Wayne,
By FELIX ECKHART,
WM. KOHRMANN,
M. C. ZOLLINGER,
Attest: A. M. SCHMIDT, Clerk.

Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Co.,
By S. L. NELSON,
"Vice President.

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Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force on and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

G. E. HENCK,
The ordinance was read the third time in full. The motion to suspend the rules for the purpose of passing the ordinance was carried by the following vote:

Ayes, 14, viz: Baade, Baker, Bauer, Ehrman, Figel, Glenn, Hensch, Kosey, Kohrmann, Lennon, Miller, O'Ryan, Sordet, Zurbuch.

Noes, none.

Upon motion the council now took a recess for the purpose of going into executive session.

The mayor appointed Mr. Bauer chairman of the committee of the whole.

The Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne reconvened, His Honor, Mayor M. C. Berghoff, in the chair, and A. M. Schmidt, clerk, at the desk, and present the following members, 14, viz: Baade, Baker, Bauer, Ehrman, Figel, Glenn, Hensch, Kosey, Kohrmann, Lennon, Miller, O'Ryan, Sordet, Zurbuch.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES, REGULATIONS AND ORDINANCES.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 13, 1901.

Gentlemen: We, the undersigned committee on rules, regulations and ordinances, to whom was referred the ordinance granting the Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Company the right to place a "T" on Bass streets, etc., recommend the passage of said ordinance.

J. J. BAUER,
M. W. KOHRMANN,
W. M. GLENN,
G. E. HENCK,
Committee.

Concurred in.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 135.

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HE SWALLOWED RAT POISON

CHARLES RANK MADE AN ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE

Mixed Deadly Dose With Perfume and Drank It—Physician Saves His Life.

Charles Rank, a laborer, 24 years of age, who lives with his mother at 11 West Columbia street, made an unsuccessful attempt to shuffie off this mortal coil Sunday by taking poison, but the prompt ministrations of Dr. J. A. Lomas saved the young man's life.

Rank's actions is attributed to despondency due to ill health. The poison used was a mixture prepared for killing rats, and Rank mixed a teaspoonful of the deadly stuff with a small amount of perfume. Swallowing the dose he calmly lay down upon his bed to await the end. One of the boarders at the house discovered Rank's condition and Dr. Lomas was quickly called. He made use of a stomach pump, and after a few hours the young man had recovered from the effects of the poison. It is said Rank had written a note to his mother giving directions regarding funeral arrangements.

ABOUT THE CITY HALL.

One of the important meetings of the year will be held at the city hall tonight, when it is expected the contract for a new pumping engine for No. 2 station will be signed up ready for presentation to the council.

As previously stated, there are two bids which will come up for actual consideration, one being that of the Holly Manufacturing company and the other that of the Barr Pumping Engine company. While the waterworks trustees will ultimately have to make the selection and draw the contract, they have courteously invited the citizens' committee and the waterworks committee of the council to be present at the meeting this evening. The citizens' committee consists of J. J. Wood, William Stephan, Max Hoffman, John E. Reuss and Charles McCulloch; the waterworks committee of the council consists of Councilmen Scheid, Borkenstein, Hosen, Bauer and Glenn, and to these is added City Engineer Randall and Mayor Berghoff as chairman of the whole.

New cases of scarletina have been reported from No. 35 Eckart street and the corner of High street and St. Marys avenue.

The special committee to whom was referred the proposition of the Fort Wayne Traction company will meet again tomorrow evening. At the same time the representatives of the other companies looking for city and other railroad privileges will be given an inning and a hearing.

The board of works is in session this afternoon transacting some ordinary routine business.

RUMOR WAS UNTRUE.

There was a persistent rumor this morning that the supreme court had sustained the charter amendments and that the whole Fort Wayne administration would have to go away back and sit down. The rumor

gained much credence and currency with several republican gentlemen. The Sentinel can state with the utmost positiveness that the Fort Wayne charter cases were the last cases heard by the court before adjournment on Friday, and that when the court adjourned it adjourned until after the holidays.

LOCAL LINES.

Judge Richard K. Erwin, of Deatur, spent Sunday in the city. Among the visitors in the city yesterday was Dan P. Jolde, of Peru. Eddie Rouen, aerial specialist, at the Flower Show, Randall hall, tonight.

The Boston Store.
Holiday Bargains.

A line of Ladies' Silk Umbrellas at \$1.00, worth \$1.50.
A line of Ladies' Black Underskirts at \$1.00, worth \$1.50.
A line of Ladies' Wrappers, \$1.00; worth \$1.25.
A line of Ladies' Gait Ties at 25 cts; worth 35 cts.
A line of Ladies' Golf Gloves at 25 cts; worth 35 cts.
A line of Ladies' Corsets at 50 cts; worth 75 cts.
A line of All Wool Flannels at 25 cts; reduced from 50 cts.
SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON LACE CURTAINS THIS WEEK.
SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON TAPESTRY CURTAINS THIS WEEK.
SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON RUGS THIS WEEK.
A lot of Bed Spreads at 95 cts; worth \$1.25.
Special low prices on all Ribbons this week.

Do your Holiday Trading at the Boston Store, as we have many great bargains to offer.

WM. HAHN & CO.,
THE BOSTON STORE.

White National Bank.

Of Fort Wayne,
At the Close of Business December 10th, 1901.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$1,101,020 37
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	58 970 00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
U. S. bonds on hand	\$ 9,440 00
Stock and securities	7,430 49
Due from banks	345,719 88
Due from U. S. treasurer	2,500 00
Cash	230,123 82
Total cash means	595,213 99

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$ 200,000 00
Surplus and undivided profits	92,432 92
Circulation	50,000 00
Deposits	1,460,771 44
	\$1,803,204 36

JOHN W. WHITE, President.
HARRY A. KEPLINGER, Cashier.
G. G. DETZER, Asst. Cashier.

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D. C. FISHER.

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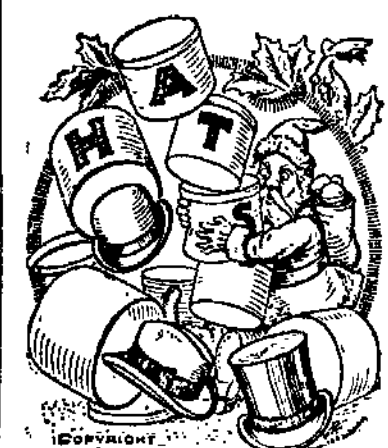
NEW STORE! NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES!

Christmas Presents, Easy Payments.
Carpets, Smyrna Rugs, Lace Curtains, Tapestry Curtains, Lace Bed Sets, Parlor Lamps, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Photograph Albums, Parlor, Office and Kitchen Clocks, Clothes Wringers, Carpet Sweepers, Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons, and other articles of Household Furniture.
Good sold at very low prices for cash, or on easy weekly or monthly payments. Everybody come and see us.
CANNASERS WANTED.

HOUSE FURNISHING COMPANY.

58 Clinton St., First Door South of the Foster Furniture Company.

To the Ladies' of Fort Wayne



Only a Few Days More

In which to buy that Christmas gift. The good things are going fast, come and let us help you decide. We have suitable holiday gifts for father, mother, sister, brother and baby. Useful articles of dress, dainty articles for the toilet, beautiful art goods for home decorations. A thousand other things to fit the season, at prices that will spare your purse.

STORE OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL CHRISTMAS.
The RURODE DRY GOODS CO.



The Perfect Expression

Of Christmas cheer, is a graceful gift, freely given. You'll find gifts here that will make you happy. Happy to be able to give so much at so little expense. We are ready for the rush. Extra space utilized and extra salespeople engaged. We will make you comfortable and serve you well and quickly.

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DOLLS AND TOYS.

This will be the merriest Christmas the Little Folks of Fort Wayne have ever enjoyed, unless all our preparations have been for naught. When will they forget our good old Santa Claus. We trust all their little wants so confidently entrusted to him may be realized.

We have not time nor space to go into details regarding our stock of gifts for small people. It is sufficient to say that we have a most complete assortment of **DOLLS, TOYS, GAMES, CHILDREN'S BOOKS, etc.**; prices lower than ever you have known them.

ART GOODS.

Cannot begin to tell you of all the useful and pretty things in this department of decorative art. We have all sorts of dainty things to make the home attractive. Embroidered doilies, pillow shams, lunch cloths, side board and dresser scarfs, battenberg doilies, center pieces and scarfs. Hemstitched and drawn work tray cloths, lunch cloths, doilies and scarfs. Hand painted novelties in gloves, handkerchiefs and trinket boxes. Dainty pin cushions for the dressing table. Sofa pillows and pillow tops from 25c to \$7.50 each. Choice selections in framed and unframed pictures.

FANCY GOODS.

Their name is legion. You'll find some happy thoughts in the way of gifts among our fancy goods. Decorated porcelain toilet sets, comb, brush and mirror, from \$1.38 to \$13.50 each. Ebony and Celluloid toilet sets, comb, brush and mirror, from \$1.50 to \$6.75 each. Glove, handkerchief, necktie and collar and cuff boxes. Ebony and sterling silver brushes, nail files, button hooks, scissors, match boxes and other useful articles. Fine Triplicate mirrors in wood and metal frames, from \$2.50 to \$9.50 each. A fine showing of handsome gold plated clocks in choice designs from \$1.50 to \$25.00 each. Dainty things in jewelry in unlimited variety.

CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS.

Let us remind you that an umbrella will make an excellent Christmas gift. Our store offers every quality of cover. Every style of handle, from the simplest crook to the finest pearl. Dresden or ivory from which to choose, and the prices, you have only to consult your purse. Fine Gloria umbrellas, with natural wood and fancy handles, \$1.00 each. Taffeta silk umbrellas, with plain and fancy handles, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. Taffeta silk umbrellas, with dainty natural wood, pearl and ivory handles, some with sterling trimming, from \$1.89 to \$5.00 each. The noblest styles of the season in ivory, pearl and horn handles, sterling silver trimmed from \$3.00 to \$12.00 each. Umbrellas for men; largest and best showing in the city.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Christmas time, handkerchief time. One can't have too many handkerchiefs, as a gift they are always acceptable. You'll find them here in immense variety. Linen ones from Ireland, and dainty embroidered ones from France and Switzerland, priced right of course. Women's hemstitched handkerchiefs, all pure linen, 5c, 8 1/2c, 10c, 12 1/2c and up to \$1.00 each. Woman's Swiss embroidered handkerchiefs, beautiful designs, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and up to 50c each. Handsome Irish and French embroidered handkerchiefs, from 25c to \$4.00 each. Men's all linen handkerchiefs in all qualities, from 10c to \$1.00 each.

LEATHER GOODS.

An almost endless assortment of pocket books, card cases, purses, chateaines, shopping bags, suit cases and traveling bags, in all kinds of leather and all styles and sizes. All leather pocket books, the best to be had for the price, 25c and 50c each. Special values in seal, Levant and Alligator pocket books from \$1.00 to \$8.00 each. Fine seal and Morocco pocket books, extra values, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each. Sterling silver trimmed pocket books in the finest leathers, from \$1.00 up. Chateaine and shopping bags, new styles, from 25c up to \$8.00 each, with many prices between. Traveling bags, that are correct in every way, and right in price.

XMAS GLOVES.

An unusually good stock, selected with the greatest care. Gloves that are made right, fit right, and wear right. Buy your Christmas gloves here, and satisfaction will go with every pair. A PRETTY GLOVE BOX FREE WITH EVERY PURCHASE. Two-clasp and lacing kid gloves, not the usual dollar glove, but the best that can be made, for \$1.00 a pair. Reynier and Perrin real kid gloves, the perfection of glove making, \$1.50 per pair. La Tosca real kid gloves, in all shades, sublime quality, \$2.00 a pair. Perrin's celebrated gloves for men, none better, \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair. Golf gloves, driving gloves and warm-lined gloves and mittens in complete assortment.

FURS.

Some gifts are sensible, many of them are not. Can you think of anything more useful than a nice, warm, fur garment, collar or boa? We have them in every desirable sort of fur and every correct style at very interesting prices. Children's fur sets, muff and collar in lambs wool and Thibet from \$1.20 to \$12.00 per set. Woman's fur boas, scarfs and collarettes in Electric seal, natural and dyed opossum, black Martin, Beaver, Lynx, Mink and Sable fox, priced from 98c to \$75.00 each. Electric and near Seal Jackets, plain and trimmed, from \$25.00 to \$85.00 each. Alaska seal coats, the best London dye, guaranteed right in every particular, \$225.00 to \$350.00 each. Fur capes in Electric Seal, Martin, Astrachan and Mink.

The RURODE DRY GOODS CO.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, DEC. 16, 1901.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Editorial Rooms..... 650
Business Office..... 178

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening tonight and Tuesday, with snow; warmer tonight; colder in northwest portion Tuesday; brisk southerly winds, shifting to northwest Tuesday.

LOCAL LINES.

Joseph Klinger is confined to his home by illness. Fred McCulloch has returned from school to spend his holiday vacation. Kent Blair will arrive Wednesday from New York to spend the holidays. Mrs. W. J. Beers, of Van Wert, is in the city the guest of Mrs. G. W. Beers. Mrs. Frank Kephlinger and son, Livingston, of Canton, O., will spend a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CAKES.

New Leghorn Citron, 14c lb.
New Lemon and Orange Peel, 15c lb.
New Sicily Shelled Almonds, 32c lb.
Choice loose Muscatel Raisins, 8c lb.
Extra large loose Muscatel Raisins, 11c lb.
London Layer Raisins, 14c lb.
Seedless Raisins, Sultanina, 15c lb.
New Seeded Raisins, 17c pgs, 10c lb.
New Cleaned Currants, 17c pgs, 10c lb.
New loose Currants, 9c lb.
New Layer Figs, 11c and 15c lb.
New Mixed Nuts, 15c quart.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Fortune seems to have favored our neckwear man. Every plum of the season fell into our basket and is on exhibit in our show cases.
d&w REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

THE NEW KEYSTONE.

Granulated Sugar, 5c lb.
Coffee A Sugar, 5c lb.
Coffee C Sugar, 4 1/2c lb.
Our Own Roasted Coffee, 17c lb.
Try Arna Coffee in Packages, 12 1/2c lb.
Best Michigan Potatoes, 90c bu.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 35c pk.
Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries, 9c qt.
Standard Oysters, 23c can.
Select Oysters, 28c can.
Fancy Naval Oranges, 40c doz.
New Prunes, 3, 8 and 10c lb.
New Dried Peaches, 10 and 12 1/2c lb.
New Nuts of all kinds, 12 1/2c qt.
Keystone Breakfast Wheat, 12c package.

We give Uncle Sam and Green Trading Stamps at
THE NEW KEYSTONE,
238 & 240 CALHOUN ST.

The store of Pfeiffer & Son will be open every evening until Christmas.

FOR SALE.

One new upright piano, cost \$300; will sell on payments; snap for someone.

H. T. STAPLEFORD,
226 W. Crighton Ave.
FIGS—DATES—RAISINS—CURRANTS.

Cal. Layer Figs, new, 12c lb.
Fancy Smyrna Layer Figs, 18c lb.
New, Bright, Hallowe'en Dates, 8c lb.
New, Bright Fard Dates, 12c lb.
Cal. Loose Muscatel Raisins, 7c lb.
Large Cal. Muscatel Raisins, 9c lb.
Bleached Sultanina Raisins, 15c lb.
Fancy Cleaned Currants, 10c 1-lb pkg.
New Fancy Cal. Prunes, 10c lb.
Large Santa Clara Prunes, 12 1/2c lb.
GREATEST GROCERY CO.

Sweeping

Sale of Toys and Dolls This Week at James M. Kane's.

All Toys Must Be Sold Regardless of Cost.

PRICES CUT.

Read the following clearing sale prices for the week on toys and dolls: 50 leaf tables, dark oak, regular price, \$1.00; clearing sale price, 75c; 35c tables slashed to 25c; shoochy rocking horses, 48c; Barney & Berry skates, 50c pair; 100 sleighs, with goose neck and well braced, regular price, 75c, our clearing sale price, 50c; 75 doll go-carts at 25c while they last. A full line of better go-carts and doll cabs at lowest prices. Tool boxes, with a full set of tools, at 50c; others up to \$5.00; toy trains with engine, tender and 3 coaches, 3 feet long, at only 25c; extra large size trains at 50c; carrom combination game boards only \$2.00; an endless variety of large size games reduced to 25c; combination writing desk and black board, 98c; toy ranges complete at 25c; albums, toilet sets, manicule sets and sewing boxes in fancy celluloid cases, all go at our big clearing sale. Toy chairs and rockers of every description; fancy baskets, the most complete line in the city. It is impossible to enumerate one hundredth part of our big stock of dolls and toys. Must be seen to be appreciated. Remember everything goes at the sweeping sale at
JAMES M. KANE'S.
Open evenings until Christmas.

Waterman's or Wertz's Fountain Pens, fully guaranteed, at W. C. Baade's Book Store, 116 Calhoun street. 18-1f

The People's Store—Open every night till Christmas. 16-2f

"Hot stuff" for cold feet—fancy wool hosiery, found only at Patterson's. d&w

Flower Show, Illusions, Specialties, Band Concert and Dancing every night this week, at Randall hall.

Pyro-etched Tabourets, a distinctive novelty for Christmas this year, at Foster's, also new line of Oriental Busto and Morris Chairs.

We Frame Pictures.
KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun St.

We'll help you to happiness. Buy your Xmas presents of
INDIANA FURNITURE CO.,
12th Two Big Stores.

Gibson Pictures at Keil & Keil, 116 Calhoun street. 16-13

FOR THE LADIES.
Just received, new styles and patterns in ladies' cloths. Prices the lowest. Fit guaranteed. G. Schmidt, merchant tailor, 57 E. Berry street. 27-1f

Orders for Pictures will be taken until the 22nd of this month and promptly delivered for Xmas, rain or shine.
F. SCHANZ,
13-14-16-18 Photographer.

Games and Books, suitable for old and young, at W. C. Baade's Book Store, 116 Calhoun street. 16-1f

See Baby Lun—4 years old—in singing specialties at Flower Show, Randall hall, tonight.

Holly! Misteltoe! Holly!

Christmas Trees.

Evergreen Epping and Laurel. Galax Wreaths. Holly Wreaths. French Wreaths. Evergreen Wreaths.

Christmas Plants.

Fine Palms and Ferns, Cyclamen Hyacinths, Burgonia Gloria de Lorraine, Sacred Lillies Poinsettias and Margueritas. Choice Cut Flowers. American Beauties. Roses, Carnations, Hyacinths, Narcissus and Violets.

MISS FLICK,

Telephone and mail orders receive prompt attention. Open 8:15 p. m.

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PAYS 5 Per Cent. Interest on stock.
LOANS MONEY
at Low Rates, is a friend to rich and poor. Assets \$500,000

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Albanus Brothers, composed of the undersigned, is this day, by mutual consent, dissolved, Carl L. Albanus retiring. The business will be conducted by George Albanus, who will collect all demands due the firm.
CARL L. ALBANUS,
13-10t **GEORGE ALBANUS.**

MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2f

COMES.

Of all descriptions. Real and imitation shell. Prices from 10c to \$7.50 at **RODENBECK'S,**
124 Calhoun St. Lau Block. 10-18f

Bigger, Brighter and Better Bargains at
INDIANA FURNITURE CO.,
for Xmas.
12th Two Big Stores.

No early breakfast is complete without Mrs. Austin's Famous Buckwheat cakes. But it from your grocer today. 13-8t

A valuable Christmas Present for your child would be a Savings Bank and Deposit Book of the Fort Wayne Trust Co., corner Main and Court Sts. Interest paid on deposits.
14-16-18-20-21-23-24

\$850.00

Will buy a good new 5-room house, lot 32x150, on Wheeler street; \$150 cash, balance at \$7.00 a month. Will pay 10 per cent on your investment.

H. T. STAPLEFORD,
12-7-1f 226 W. Crighton Ave.
D. OF H. DANCE AND PEDRO,
ELECTRON HALL, TUESDAY,
DEC. 17. CASO ORCHESTRA.
14th

For a few days only \$1.00 and \$1.25 books at 25c. See list in another column. 5-1f

The Zero family in singing specialties at the Flower Show, Randall hall, tonight.

Gibson Pictures at Keil & Keil, 116 Calhoun street. 16-13

A Sideboard, China Closet, Extension Table or a fine set of Dining Room Chairs, bought at Foster's, would make your wife a nice Christmas present.

A harvest of Furniture fancies.
INDIANA FURNITURE CO.,
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We Frame Pictures.
KEIL & KEIL,
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Bodie Rosen, aerial specialist, at the Flower Show, Randall hall, tonight.

It's a good thing STAVLYS have it.

SHOVELING SNOW



Is good, healthy work if you have the proper utensils to make it pleasant. There is no necessity of being without them when we have such a superior assortment of Snow Shovels, Spuds, Sidewalk Cleaners or anything you need to assist in the operation. Cheap, too. Snow Shovels, 25c.

You also need a pair of Ice Creepers to prevent bodily injury of these slippery days. They fasten on your shoes in a minute. Only 18c per pair. Cheaper than an accident policy.

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HARRISON STORE

Osmicure's Three Remedies
Cure all Skin and Blood Diseases.
Osmicure Blood-Nerve Tonic
great for Bladder & Kidney. 50c. \$1.00
Osmicure Medicinal Soap
antiseptic, for infants, toilet, bath 25c
Osmicure Ointment Heals
Eczema, Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Piles, 25c, 50c
Sold by Sellers & Foster, Druggists, 94
Calhoun street.



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Success in his system of Radical Treatment
and Rectal Medication is now unquestioned.
Blind, Bleeding, Protruding and Itching
Piles, Fisura, Fissure and Rectal Obstructions,
no matter how bad or of how long
standing, are guaranteed in every case
without the use of knife or cauterizer, and
no detention from business. Constipation,
in most every case, is a sure symptom of
rectal trouble, and is positively cured by
Dr. Bolan's system of Radical Medication.
Kidney, Bladder and Urinary disease,
Scurvy, Liver, Blood and Skin diseases
also cured.

5 YEARS is the general practice of "Radical
and Rectal Medication" in Piles and
Rectal Diseases, enables the Doctor to treat
all chronic diseases successfully.

CONSULTATION AND EXAMINATION FREE.

Dr. Bolan will be in Fort Wayne
at the Randall hotel, Tuesday and
Wednesday, Dec. 17 and 18.

D. S. H. HAVICE,
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT
SURGEON.

26 W. WAYNE ST.
GLASSES ADJUSTED.
Office hours are 9 to 1-1:30 to 4
p. m.

Money to Loan.
-AT-
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Our Holiday Stock....
Is complete and awaits your inspection.
We have
Toilet Goods of all kinds, including
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Mirrors,
Ornate and Ornamental
Linen, Aluminum and Celluloid
Goods,
Choice Perfumery and Atomizers,
Scented Soaps, etc.
Also Leather Dressing Cases and
Ladies' Purse.
Our goods are in the prevailing
mode and every article is selected
on its merits.

RANKE & NUSSBAUM,
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Insurance, Real Estate and Loans.
No. 24 West Wayne Street,
Fort Wayne, Ind.

BANKS.
HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK.
Capital, \$200,000. Surplus, \$250,000.
The Hamilton National Bank will
pay interest at the rate of two (2)
per cent. per annum on certificates of
deposit if left four months.
President—Charles McCulloch.
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White National Bank.
Corner Wayne and Clinton Sts.
CAPITAL, \$200,000.
SURPLUS, \$75,000.
Safe Deposit Boxes for rent.

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ABSTRACTOR OF TITLES,
INSURANCE.
COLLECTION AND LOAN AGENT.
James E. Graham.
Room 16, Bank Block,
FORT WAYNE, IND.
Stenographer and Notary Public in
office, Phone 615 Main.

MANY RIDE ON INTERURBAN

**SUNDAY TRAFFIC BRISK IN
SPITE OF COLD.**

Passengers on Last Car to Fort
Wayne Underwent Some Never-
to-be-forgotten Experiences.

In spite of the zero weather on
Sunday, a large number of Fort
Wayne people went to Huntington
and intermediate points over the
Fort Wayne and Southwestern, while
quite a number of Huntington people
took advantage of the opening of the
line, and spent the day in Fort
Wayne. Cars were run from here
commencing at 8 a. m. on an hour
and a half schedule, but this was
abandoned later and trips were made
every two or three hours. The "Indiana"
was brought down to the corner
of Nelson and Taylor streets and
used as a waiting room in place of the
office of the sewer contractor at this
point, where passengers have been
accustomed to wait heretofore.

A Sentinel representative made the
trip over the line yesterday through
the kindness of General Manager
Nelson, on the car "Iowa," and the
general manager demonstrated his
ability as a motorman by handling
the controller as far as Abasco. The
trip was made in about an hour and
twenty minutes, including stops.

A force of electricians is engaged
in stringing wires on Market street,
one of Huntington's principal thoroughfares,
and the work will be completed
this week. Linemen worked
all day Sunday at the Fort Wayne
end of the road and put up the trolley
wires as far as Broadway.

The cars have been run for the past
few days under difficult circumstances,
owing to the impossibility
of turning them around at this end
of the road. It is necessary to run
the cars backward from Huntington,
the motorman being on the rear end
of the car, while the conductor acts
as signman. Running cars under
these conditions is somewhat risky
at night, as it is impossible to see
curves on account of there being no
headlight.

The passengers on the last car out
of Huntington last night underwent
some experiences they will not soon
forget. The steam heating apparatus
in the car refused to work on Sunday
and in consequence the temperature
hovered around zero. Shortly after
the car arrived in Huntington the
trolley pole got out of order and
proceeded to do some lively stunts in
the hypertechnical line that caused an
instant exit of all the passengers. After
a delay of two hours during which
the pole was repaired, a start was
made for Fort Wayne and the thoroughly
chilled crowd assumed a
cheerful expression and hoped the
worst was over. It was not to be,
however, for when rounding a curve
at full speed about three miles east
of Huntington, the pole jumped the
wire and at every crosswire, pounded
the roof of the car, causing many to
think the car had left the rails. A
rush for the doors ensued, but the
motorman and conductor succeeded
in quieting the fears of the passengers
and prevented them from jumping
from the car, which was going at
full speed.

Out on the prairie, without any
light and with the temperature in
the car hovering near the zero mark,
another wait of nearly an hour and
a half occurred, while a telephone
message was sent to Huntington for
another car. In the meantime the
crowd, numbering about a dozen,
resolved itself into a chorus and whiled
away the tedious minutes with song.
On the arrival of the other car the
passengers were transferred and finally
struck town about 12:45 this
morning.

Flower Show, Illusions, Specialties,
Band Concert and Dancing every
night this week, at Randall hall.

BETTER.

Your Christmas Cake and Mince
Pie will be just a little better if you
buy new Citron, Orange and Lemon
Peel, Raisins, Currants, Figs and
Boiled Gilder of Skelton, 25 West
Main street. 16-2t

**The People's Store---Open
every night till Christmas.** 16-2t

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, the
Crystal Maze Bowling Club and a
club composed from the Fort Wayne
High School Faculty will bowl a
match game at the Crystal Maze
Bowling Alleys, 59 E. Berry St.
Everybody is cordially invited. Admission free.

SOMETHING APPROPRIATE.

Appropriate for the kind of
weather. The Zero family in special-
ties, at the Flower Show, Randall
hall, tonight. Extras—Little Miss
Lun, the band concert, the dance
and other things.

The Zero family in singing special-
ties, at the Flower Show, Randall
hall, tonight.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—May wheat
opened firm today, 3/4c to 1/2c
higher at 80 1/2c to 80c on improved
culls and decrease in breadstuffs on
passage and in world's shipments.
There was a general fair demand
early, but the trade weakened into
a dull affair and in the absence of
any good support the crowd turned
bearish on the expectation of a
heavy increase in the visible supply.
May wheat sold down gradually to
79 1/2c. Local receipts were 42 cars,
1 of contract grade making a total
for the three points of 735. Mine-
apolis and Duluth reported 715 cars,
against 988 last week and 915 a
year ago. World's shipments were
7,095,000 bushels against 8,496,
000 bushels last week. Breadstuffs
on passage decreased 720,000 bush-
els.

A large increase in the visible
supply, dull trade and liberal offer-
ings of wheat depressed prices after
the early firmness and May closed
weak, 3/4c lower, at 79 1/2c.

Corn had a tame opening with
May a shade to 1/2c up at 67 1/2c
to 67 3/4c. The early firmness was
largely due to wheat influence and
when selling began in that pit the
small local trade in corn turned
bearish and prices sagged rapidly
to 66 1/2c. Receipts were 111 cars.

Corn continued dull and followed
wheat, closing weak, 1/2c down, at
66 1/2c.

On opened firm with a small scat-
tering demand. May started 1/2c to
1/4c higher at 45 1/2c to 45 3/4c, but the tone
at once grew quiet and prices sagged
to 44 1/2c. Shorts covering brought a
slight reaction to 45 1/2c. Receipts
were 163 cars.

Provisions were very dull at the
opening. Prices were slightly firmer
on higher prices at the yards for
hogs but fair offerings eased the
market early. May pork opened 9 1/2c
up at \$16.00 1/2c and sold off 5c; May
lard opened 2 1/2c lower to unchanged
at \$9.87 1/2c to \$9.90, and May ribs 2 1/2c
down to unchanged at \$8.60 to \$8.62 1/2c.

THE CLOSURE.

Prices at the close were as follows:
Wheat—Dec., 75 1/2c to 75 3/4c; May,
79 1/2c to 79 3/4c; July, 79 1/2c.
Corn—Dec., 68 1/2c; Jan., 68 3/4c;
May, 66 1/2c to 66 3/4c; July, 66 1/2c.
Oats—Dec., 44 1/2c; May, 44 1/2c;
July, 38 1/2c; Sept., 38 1/2c.
Pork—Dec., \$15.20; Jan., \$16.32 1/2c;
May, \$16.80.
Lard—Dec., \$9.82 1/2c; Jan., \$9.82 1/2c;
May, \$9.87 1/2c.
Ribs—Dec., \$8.40; Jan., \$8.40;
May, \$8.50.
Hye—May, 60 1/2c to 60 3/4c.
Flax—Cash N. W., \$1.50; No. 1,
\$1.48 1/2c; Dec., \$1.48; May, \$1.51.
Timothy—March, \$6.55.
Clover—March, \$9.45.
Barley—Cash, 56 to 63c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Cattle—Receipts,
15,000; market 10c higher. Good
to prime, \$6.10 to \$7.00; poor to me-
dium, \$3.95 to \$6.00; stockers and
feeders, \$2.00 to \$4.25; cows, \$1.00 to
4.35; heifers, \$1.50 to \$5.00; canners,
\$1.00 to \$2.00; bulls, \$1.75 to \$4.50;
calves, \$2.00 to \$5.25; Texas fed
steers, \$4.50 to \$5.30.

Hogs—Receipts today, 42,000; to-
morrow, 45,000; left over, 9,191.
Market steady to strong and higher.
Mixed and butchers, \$5.80 to \$6.40;
good to choice heavy, \$6.20 to \$6.60;
rough heavy, \$5.80 to \$6.10; light,
\$5.00 to \$5.80; bulk of sales, \$5.85 to
6.30.

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 16.—Flour—
Spring wheat, \$3.75 to \$4.00; win-
ter, bbl., \$3.75 to \$4.25; Graham, \$1.60
per cwt.; buckwheat, \$2.65 per cwt.;
corn meal, bolted, \$1.50 per cwt.;
corn meal, unbolted, \$1.50 per cwt.
Wheat—3/4c.
Oats—45c.
Corn—40 1/2c.
Timothy Seed—\$2.70 bu.
Rye—55c.

LOCAL LINES.

Capt. E. O. Rose, of the Angola
Maguet, is in the city to attend the
performance of "David Harum." Captain
Rose was formerly deputy
United States marshal for this district
and is well known in the city.

The Woman's Bible class of Wayne
Street M. E. church will meet for
study tomorrow afternoon at 2:30,
this hour being for this meeting
only. The lesson will be Genesis,
sixth to ninth chapters. At 3:30 there
will be an important meeting of the
pledge society and aid society.

G. E. Trier left today for Muncie,
where the city council will vote this
evening on granting of a franchise
to the Fort Wayne gentlemen who
desire to install an independent tele-
phone system in that city.

Miss Nettie Bruner, of South
Wayne, suffered a slight dislocation
of the vertebra recently, but has re-
covered from the mishap and is able
to be about. She was attended by
Dr. W. H. Johnston.

Mrs. William H. Crighton enter-
tained a company of ladies in a
most pleasant manner Saturday af-
ternoon. Miss DeEtta Davis, Miss
Grace Harding and Miss Alice Gra-
ching were prizes.

RIOT IN STREETS OF ANGOLA

**COLLEGE STUDENTS AND TOWN
BOYS IN A CLASH.**

Fully One Hundred Were Involved
and Numerous Broken Heads
Result—No Arrests Yet.

(Special to The Sentinel.)
Angola, Ind., Dec. 16. At least
fifty students of the Tri-State Normal
college and about an equal number
of young men from this place came
together upon the streets of Angola
at 8 o'clock Saturday evening and
the net result is an unknown number
of broken heads, though it is believed
no one was dangerously injured.

It was a full-fledged riot and the
trouble has been brewing for several
months. The college boys have been
inclined to be somewhat overbearing
in their treatment of the Angola
young men and the latter started in
to discipline the young fellows from
the school. A small party of each
faction met upon the public square
Saturday evening at 8 o'clock and
trouble began.

The combatants were soon in a
lively interchange of blows. A great
crowd quickly gathered and each
side was strongly reinforced. With-
in a short time the street was filled
by fighters and spectators and the
battle was fast and furious, the great
crowd surging backward and forward
for nearly an hour in the combat,
until sheer exhaustion put an end to
the fracas, with honors about even,
and fully twenty-five young men be-
gan hunting physicians to bandage
their wounds and sew up gashes in
various parts of their anatomies.
There have been no arrests as yet,
but it is expected a number of war-
rants will be served today.

FAVOR HOSPITAL PLAN.

A meeting of delegates and min-
isters from German Lutheran
churches in this city and county and
neighboring cities was held last even-
ing in St. Paul's school for the
purpose of discussing the plan of erect-
ing a hospital, to be supported by
the churches in this district. Rev.
Jacob Miller and Rev. Philip Wamb-
ganss presided and there were about
fifty representatives present. It was
decided to recommend the plan to the
congregations and another meeting
will be held the third Sunday in Feb-
ruary when a final report will be
made and it will be definitely decided
whether or not to build the hospital.
Delegates were present at yesterday's
meeting from Kendallville, Hunting-
ton, Columbia City and Deane, O.

WILL SPEEDILY RECOVER.

Reports from the several bed-
sides of the victims of last Friday night's
cutting affair indicate the speedy re-
covery of both Mrs. Wilson and her
assailant, Fred Dawsey. Both are
suffering considerable pain and of the
two Mrs. Wilson bears her suffering
with the least complaint. Dawsey
moans considerably and is inclined to
be peevish. Mrs. Wilson will be
able to leave the hospital in a week
or ten days and Dawsey will prob-
ably be taken to police court for a
preliminary hearing some time this
week.

INDIANA POSTMASTERS.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Among the
appointments announced by the
president today were the following
postmasters for Indiana cities:
Indiana—Thomas A. Carter, An-
burn; Wallace W. Williamson, Co-
lumbia City; Charles Sullivan, Gar-
rett; C. P. Alexander, Kendallville;
C. B. Bentley, Warsaw.

SENATOR SEWELL VERY LOW.

Camden, N. J., Dec. 16. United
States Senator William J. Sewell is
reported today to be in a very weak
condition and in danger of a second
relapse. The physicians say that
while he may live for some days, an-
other sinking spell might cause his
death at any time. The Sewell fam-
ily is gathered at the homestead
awaiting the end. Senator Sewell is
suffering from diabetes, complicated
with other diseases.

IMPROVE THE SERVICE.

This morning the Fort Wayne
Traction company placed an addition-
al car on the Spy Run avenue line
and residents of that district are now
enjoying an improvement in the
service. Cars are now run at ten-
minute intervals, instead of every
twelve minutes, as heretofore. The
addition of the car is said to be per-
manent.

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Cor. Berry and Clinton Sts.
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3 Per Cent. Interest Paid on
Deposits
[One Dollar]
AND UP
LOANS—Made on farm and
city property at low rates.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The senate
today adopted the resolution of Sen-
ator Vest directing the committee on
Judiciary to investigate and report
upon a method for restricting an-
archy and restraining those who at-
tempt to assassinate presidents. The
senate at 12:12 p. m. went into exe-
cutive session to consider the Hay-
Pauncefote treaty.

Carl Simon and son, of Spring-
field, Mass., are in the city guests
of Mrs. John Curlice.

Mrs. B. C. Bell will attend the
wedding of her nephew in Muncie
on Wednesday.

Eddie Rosen, aerial specialist, at
the Flower Show, Randall hall, to-
night.

CANDY FOR XMAS

Mixed Candy, 5c lb.
Gum Drops, 5c lb.
Broken Taffy, 10c lb.
Stick Candy, 8c lb.
Chocolate Drops, 15c lb.
Chocolate Covered Caramels, 20c lb.
Jelly Beans, 12c lb.
Cinnamon Imperials, 12c lb.
Cream Mint Lozenges, 15c lb.
Cream Wintergreen Lozenges, 15c
lb.
Peanut Squares, 15c lb.
Caramels, 15c lb.
Royal Gum Drops, 12c lb.
Coconut Bon-Bons, 15c lb.
Hard Baked Mix, 10c lb.
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All \$8.00 Silk Waists sell for \$3.48.
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These are stylish Waists in all the new colorings, hemstitched,
in Taffeta and other Silks, and you can buy them at the above
prices on easy terms of credit.

And when you come for the Waist, look at our smart Jackets
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We sell Clothing, Hats and Shoes for Men, Women and Children
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Skates, Watches, Scissors, Shears, Pen and Pocket Knives for Boys
and Girls.
Razors, Shaving Sets and the most complete line of Pen and Pocket
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Store open evenings until after Xmas.

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BOARDING HOUSE ACCOMMODA-
TIONS INADEQUATE.

The scene of activity in railway building on the Wabash connecting line has shifted. The Baltimore and Ohio company has effectively blocked tracklaying in a southerly direction from Butler by derailing a locomotive and eight cars on the proposed crossing at St. Joe, and construction will be carried forward from New Haven. With that object in view 100 laborers were transferred from Butler to Fort Wayne today and as rapidly as possible the construction material will be transferred also. Section Foreman C. Foster has been engaged ever since yesterday noon in the search for boarding house accommodations for the men engaged in constructing the road, but has not yet succeeded in providing shelter and board for all. It seems that the boarding houses in the vicinity of the railways are already well filled and only a few of the men could be accommodated there. Mr. Foster has been more successful among the private houses thereabouts and will, doubtless, find accommodations for all before nightfall. Notwithstanding the severity of the weather, the contractors will crowd tracklaying as rapidly as possible and hope to close the gap between the Maumee river bridge and St. Joe before the 1st of February. Coaches have been provided for conveying the laborers to and from their work.

INCREASING THE POWER.

J. W. Hilgeman, Fred Duryea and Frank Lyons, construction men in the employ of the Fort Wayne Electric company, were engaged yesterday in preparing to install a better and much larger generator in the Wayne Knitting mills. So many have been the additions to the machines at the mills and so great the increase in the number of electric lights, that the old dynamo is inadequate. The new dynamo has an estimated capacity of 250-horse power, or 2,500 lights. It will be installed on Sunday, because the factory is so busy that a day's shutdown was an absolute impossibility.

THOMPSON'S MEXICO TOUR.

Col. R. G. Thompson, of the Wabash, is sending out notices to prospective tourists that he will be identified with the Gates Mexico tour the coming season, as he was last. Books of the tour giving all the main features of the trip are now ready for distribution.

AN OPEN INSTALLATION.

At the meeting of the local lodge of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen yesterday it was decided to have an open installation of the recently elected officers on the first Sunday in January. The Ladies' auxiliary will be invited to participate in the entertainment which will follow the installation, which will include a banquet and some singing, speaking and instrumental music. The affair will take place at 7 o'clock in the evening.

NEW INTERLOCKING PLANT.

The Pennsylvania company is preparing to install an interlocking plant at Bourbon, Ind., the end of the Chicago end of the double track. George W. Hill, superintendent of interlocking plants, went to Bourbon this morning to take measurements for the new plant.

PLUMBER SCALDED.

E. F. Goetts, a plumber employed at the Pittsburg shops, had his left leg scalded by steam yesterday afternoon. At first it was feared that the injury was quite severe, but it later developed that the burn was not deep and consequently not so bad as supposed. The accident happened in the power station of the Pennsylvania shops, where one of the pipes had been broken by frost.

WESMANN IS CONSCIOUS.

William Wesmann, the Wabash boilermaker who was injured last week at the Winch street crossing of the Wabash road, returned to complete consciousness yesterday and told what he knew about the accident. As surmised by The Sentinel last Saturday, Mr. Wesmann rode to the crossing on the switch engine, but he does not know what struck

him. No. 3, the westbound passenger train, passed that point at that hour, and it is reasonable to presume that the boilermaker was hit by the engine hauling that train. Dr. McOscar, the attending surgeon, believes that the patient will speedily recover.

TRAINS ARE LATE.

Trains on every road leading to Fort Wayne were more or less late in reaching the city last night and today. The chief cause of delay in eastbound travel was the cold, but the floods in the east figured more prominently in impeding traffic than the cold weather. Freight trains that were side tracked for any great length of time "froze up" completely in some instances and in other instances it was necessary to take a part of the train and leave the balance. An engine that will pull forty-five cars under ordinary conditions cannot move half that number today, and particularly if the cars have been standing long enough to let their journal boxes become thoroughly chilled. The cold weather also had its effect in delaying work in the shops. All the shafting journals were stiff and cold and some of the steam pipes were frozen up. In some of the departments there was little doing the first half hour.

THREE PROMOTIONS.

Trainmaster J. E. Patterson has promoted three more men in the train service of the Pittsburg. T. G. Lesley passes from the position of flagman to a conductorship and Brakemen C. T. Gaskins and H. P. Dinger have been made flagmen.

NEVADA WALTERS DEAD.

Amos Walters, the Calhoun street grocer, has been informed of the death of his cousin, Nevada Walters, which occurred at the Wabash railway hospital in Peru yesterday. The deceased was a local freight brakeman on the Wabash, having a run between Fort Wayne and Peru, and was quite well known in this city. Last week he was knocked from the side of a car by a switchstand in the yards at Andrews. Immediately following his fall the car struck another car and rebounded, the wheels cutting off both of Mr. Walters' legs.

CAR INSPECTOR INJURED.

George Forrest, foreman of car inspectors at the east yards of the Pennsylvania company, was struck by the work train at 11:15 o'clock this morning and knocked in an unconscious condition to the side of the tracks. A fellow workman soon discovered Mr. Forrest and he was picked up and carried to the shanty, where he soon revived and was later taken to St. Joseph hospital, where Dr. W. E. Stemen attended him. Mr. Forrest sustained a bad cut on the head and the blow fractured the skull. He also received a cut over the right eye. His condition is very serious. He has a wife and two children residing on Taylor street.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Machinist M. H. Draggoo has taken a position in the Wabash shops. Joseph P. Lentz, of the store room of the Electric works, is sick and off duty.

James Burwick, the railway evangelist, is holding meetings in Pittsburg.

Yard Conductor Russ Gardner, of the Pittsburg, is off duty on account of sickness.

Night Round House Foreman George Telley, of the Pittsburg, is sick and off duty.

The November pay rolls of the Pennsylvania shops at Altoona contained 7,992 names.

The Nickel Plate was compelled to work an extra engine in the yards yesterday, so heavy was traffic.

After two weeks' sickness, John G. Luebenyans resumed his duties in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning.

A. D. Noble, a machinist, has taken a position in the Pittsburg round house, commencing work there this morning.

On all railways at present the business is limited by the capacity of the equipment. Engines and cars are still scarce.

Engineer G. H. VanGorder and Fireman Fred Lindenberg, of the Nickel Plate, are off duty on account of sickness.

Gus Klump, an Erie shopman, has returned to his home in Huntington. He was in St. Joseph hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Brakeman C. D. Reau reported for work on the Nickel Plate yesterday. He was detained at home a few days by the sickness of his wife.

George Beyerlin, the veteran sweeper at the Pittsburg planing mills, is on duty again, after an absence on account of sickness.

Brakeman C. Bitter, of the Nickel Plate, had his feet badly frosted Saturday night and will be unable to take his run out for a few days.

A. Tenunse, who has charge of the turntable at the Pittsburg round house at nights, is off duty on account of the sickness of his wife.

Fred Hilgeman, of the shipping department of the Electric works, re-

ported for duty this morning, after several weeks' absence. He severely sprained a leg while pushing a hand cart in the works.

Dr. E. F. Wagner, of the Pennsylvania Relief department, is in Cleveland on business connected with the association.

The Cincinnati Sunday morning papers did not reach this city until 6 p. m. Delay was due to bad connection on account of cold weather.

Nickel Plate Brakemen Fred Lindenberg and A. B. Todd are sick and off duty and Brakeman C. Vardaman is off duty to look after private affairs.

Engineers William Haenel, Ed Wolf and J. H. Cooke and Firemen J. Fox, John Hollenkamp and T. Dalton, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' rest.

George Stocks, Wabash car inspector, who had an eye knocked out some weeks ago, went to Springfield today to receive treatment from the company's specialist.

C. E. Kromm, who has been employed in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop for four months, resigned his position there this morning. He does not state his intentions as to future employment.

Patrick Cunningham and Michael Rogan, boilermakers in the Wabash shops, went to Ashley this morning to do some work for the company. Frank Morris went to Peru upon a similar mission.

Edward Raschig, for thirty years private secretary to the superintendent of the American Express company, has moved upon a fine farm near Vevy, Ind., where he will spend the remainder of his life.

Caller William Stuart, of the Nickel Plate, who has been suffering from rheumatism for several days, has taken a lay-off in hopes that the rest will relieve him. Charles Rouzard is calling crews in Mr. Stuart's place.

Passenger engine 170, just out of the Nickel Plate repair shops, has taken the place of engine 171 in hauling trains 6 and 3 on the third district. The latter engine will now go into the shops for general repairs.

Engineer F. Reynolds, who has been confined to his home at No. 195 Barr street for some days, under the care of Dr. C. F. C. Nieschang, is improving slowly. Mr. Reynolds is employed on the Lake Erie and Western road.

Dr. R. Parks White, the Pennsylvania company's oculist, was called upon Saturday afternoon to treat two unfortunate. Michael Creigh had a chipping of steel imbedded in one of his eyes, and Ed White got some sawy dust in one of his eyes. Both patients speedily recovered.

The Chicago and Erie company reduced the force in the car department of the Huntington shops last week. Seventy men were dismissed and the Huntington Herald fears that some of the dismissals are for good. The loss of employment to so many of its citizens is a serious blow to Huntington.

A freight train on the Chicago and Erie road ran into a pile of ties on the track one night last week. After pushing the ties several rods the engine left the rails. The ties were placed on the tracks for the purpose. It is believed, of wrecking a passenger train, but the freight frustrated the aims of the kents.

Fred Ehringer, the Wabash shopman who had a leg broken several weeks ago, is getting along nicely and there is every indication that he will recover completely from the accident. He is able to get about the hospital on his crutches. Mrs. Ehringer was down to Peru to see her husband last Saturday.

Frank M. Cherry, the boilermaker who was stricken with paralysis last Friday, while at work in the Pittsburg shops, is improving and can now talk to a limited extent with members of his family. The doctor says that pressure against the brain is being gradually relieved and this is a very favorable condition.

The absentee lists at the Pittsburg shops this morning contained the following new names, most of the owners probably being sick: A. Becker, W. C. Cherry, L. Linker, J. Beldel, C. B. Brown, G. Meyer, W. Lepper and J. P. Disser. In addition to the foregoing are the names of Fred Paul and X. Klingenberg, who are off by permission.

John Josenhans, a man well known to many of the Pennsylvania shopmen, died in Allegheny last Saturday. In 1860 Mr. Josenhans became master painter of the Ohio and Pittsburg road and remained in the same capacity with the railroad through its various transitions into the Pennsylvania company until January, when he went on the retired list. He was 76 years old.

Last Saturday the Fort Wayne Electric works sent a 390-light dynamo to Brookings, S. D., to be placed in the State Agricultural college, a 5-horse power motor to Elmira, N. Y., and two 5-horse power motors to the Toledo Electric Light company, of St. Louis, Mo. Today the electric company sent a 20-horse power motor to I. Briggs & Co., of Elmira, N. Y., which completes the shipment to that firm for the present.

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EIGHT KILLED IN A WRECK

COLLISION ON ILLINOIS CENTRAL NEAR ROCKFORD.

Flames Add to the Horror and Prevent Rescue—Survivors Suffer From the Cold.

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 16.—Eight persons were killed and eleven injured in a frightful collision of a passenger and a freight train on the Illinois Central railroad near Perryville early Sunday morning. Fire broke out almost instantly and consumed the wreckage so soon that rescue of victims was impossible, the injured who escaped being roasted to death and more fortunate survivors suffered from exposure to the weather. The temperature was 20 degrees below zero, with an icy wind blowing, and all hats and wraps had been lost in the wreck.

DEAD AND MISSING.

The dead: Ormsby, Richard, Chicago, engineer of passenger train.

Reardon, James, Freeport, fireman of passenger train.

Thompson, Robert, Dubuque, American Express messenger.

Funk, J. W., Chicago, brakeman passenger train.

Behan, David, Freeport, freight engineer.

Carey, Edward, Freeport, freight fireman.

Missing and supposed to be dead: Newsboy on passenger train, name unknown.

Section foreman from Irene, name unknown.

CRASH OF ENGINES TERRIFIC.

The train met in a slight bend in the track and the crash of engines was terrific. The roof of one car was hurled into a field far from the right of way, and a casting weighing half a ton was thrown 100 feet. The smoking, express and baggage cars were piled on the locomotives, pinning in the occupants of the smoker. Only three of the half-dozen in that car escaped. The others, if not instantly killed, were roasted to death and their bodies, along with those of the engine crews, were entirely consumed.

All efforts of the survivors to reach the victims were unavailing. The flames drove them back at every point. By the united efforts of the survivors the way car was pushed back from the wreckage to escape the flames and the wounded were placed on the banks inside.

Two hours elapsed before any relief was at hand. Then an engine arrived from the east and pulled the way car to Irene, three miles distant.

Upon whom the responsibility for the disaster rests has not been determined, but it is believed to have been due to a failure on the part of the freight conductor to follow instruction or an error in computing time.

FOR FALL AND WINTER.

New nobby patterns in Men's Suits and Overcoats now in. Prices the lowest. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 East Berry street. 27-1f

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The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, DEC. 16, 1901.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening tonight and Tuesday, with snow; warmer tonight; colder in northwest portion Tuesday; brisk southerly winds, shifting to northwest Tuesday.

LOCAL LINES.

Joseph Klinger is confined to his home by illness.

Fred McCallbach has returned from school to spend his holiday vacation.

Kent Blair will arrive Wednesday from New York to spend the holidays.

Mrs. W. J. Beers, of Van Wert, is in the city the guest of Mrs. G. W. Beers.

Mrs. Frank Klinger and son, Livingston, of Canton, O., will spend a few days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CAKES.

New Leghorn Citron, 14c lb.

New Lemon and Orange Peel, 15c lb.

New Sicily Shelled Almonds, 32c lb.

Choice loose Muscatel Raisins, 8c lb.

Extra large loose Muscatel Raisins, 11c lb.

London Layer Raisins, 14c lb.

Seedless Raisins, Sultan, 15c lb.

New Seeded Raisins, 1lb pkgs, 10c

New Cleaned Currants, 1lb pkgs, 10c.

New loose Currants, 9c lb.

New Layer Figs, 11c and 15c lb.

New Mixed Nuts, 15c quart.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Fortune seems to have favored our neckwear man. Every plum of the season fell into our basket and is on exhibit in our show cases.

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Standard Oysters, 23c can.

Select Oysters, 28c can.

Fancy Naval Oranges, 40c doz.

New Prunes, 5, 8 and 10c lb.

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New, Bright, Hallowe'en Dates, 8c

lb.

New, Bright Fard Dates, 12c lb.

Cal. Loose Muscatel Raisins, 7c lb.

Large Cal. Muscatel Raisins, 8c lb.

Bleached Sultan Raisins, 15c lb.

Fancy Cleaned Currants, 10c 1-lb

pkg.

New Fancy Cal. Prunes, 10c lb.

Large Santa Clara Prunes, 12 1/2c lb.

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Sterling silver trimmed pocket books in the finest leathers, from \$1.00 up.

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Traveling bags, that are correct in every way, and right in price.

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An unusually good stock, selected with the greatest care. Gloves that are made right, fit right, and wear right. Buy your Christmas gloves here, and satisfaction will go with every pair.

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Two-clasp and lacing kid gloves, not the usual dollar glove, but the best that can be made for \$1.00 a pair.

Reynier and Perrin real kid gloves, the perfection of glove making, \$1.50 per pair.

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Perrins' celebrated gloves for men, none better, \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair.

Golf gloves, driving gloves and warm-lined gloves and mittens in complete assortment.

FURS.

Some gifts are sensible, many of them are not. Can you think of anything more useful than a nice, warm, fur garment, collar or boa? We have them in every desirable sort of fur and every correct style at very interesting prices.

Children's fur sets, muff and collar in lambs wool and Thibet from \$1.20 to \$12.00 per set.

Woman's fur boas, scarfs and collarettes in Electric seal, natural and dyed opossum, black Martin, Beaver, Lynx, Mink and Sable fox, priced from 98c to \$75.00 each.

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Alaska seal coats, the best London dye, guaranteed right in every particular, \$225.00 to \$350.00 each.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Albanus Brothers, composed of the undersigned, is this day, by mutual consent, dissolved, Carl L. Albanus retiring. The business will be conducted by George Albanus, who will collect all demands due the firm.

CARL L. ALBANUS,

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Fine Palms and Ferns. Cyclamen Hyacinths. Burgonia Gloria de Lorraine. Sacred Lillies Poinsettias and Marguerites. Choice Cut Flowers. American Beauties. Roses, Carnations, Hyacinths, Narcissus and Violets.

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